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# Android Platform Development with Linaro

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# What is Linaro?

A nonprofit engineering organization that improves open source software for the ARM architecture.






# What does Linaro do?

Maintain “upstream focused” ARM platforms, like Android

Improve the Linux kernel's support of the ARM

Improve multimedia, graphics, power and the toolchain software for ARM



And other stuff... take a look at <http://www.linaro.org>




# Why was Linaro Founded?

To lead open source software development on ARM

To help members deliver high quality OSS-based products to market as quickly as possible

To solve common problems and enable members to focus their resources on differentiation



Hehe, and to keep Linus from kicking ARM out of the kernel ;)



# Linaro Members

ARM

 **freescale**  
semiconductor

IBM

 SAMSUNG

 **ST**  
ERICSSON

 **TEXAS**  
INSTRUMENTS



The people who boss us around...



# Linaro Partners



These guys work with us...





# Join the Revolution



Prince and the Revolution ;)





# Get Hooked In

Hang out on #linaro-android on irc.freenode.net

Join and send email to [linaro-android@lists.linaro.org](mailto:linaro-android@lists.linaro.org)

Get a tip build at <https://android-build.linaro.org/>

Explore [linaro.org](http://linaro.org)





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# Get and Use a Premade Build

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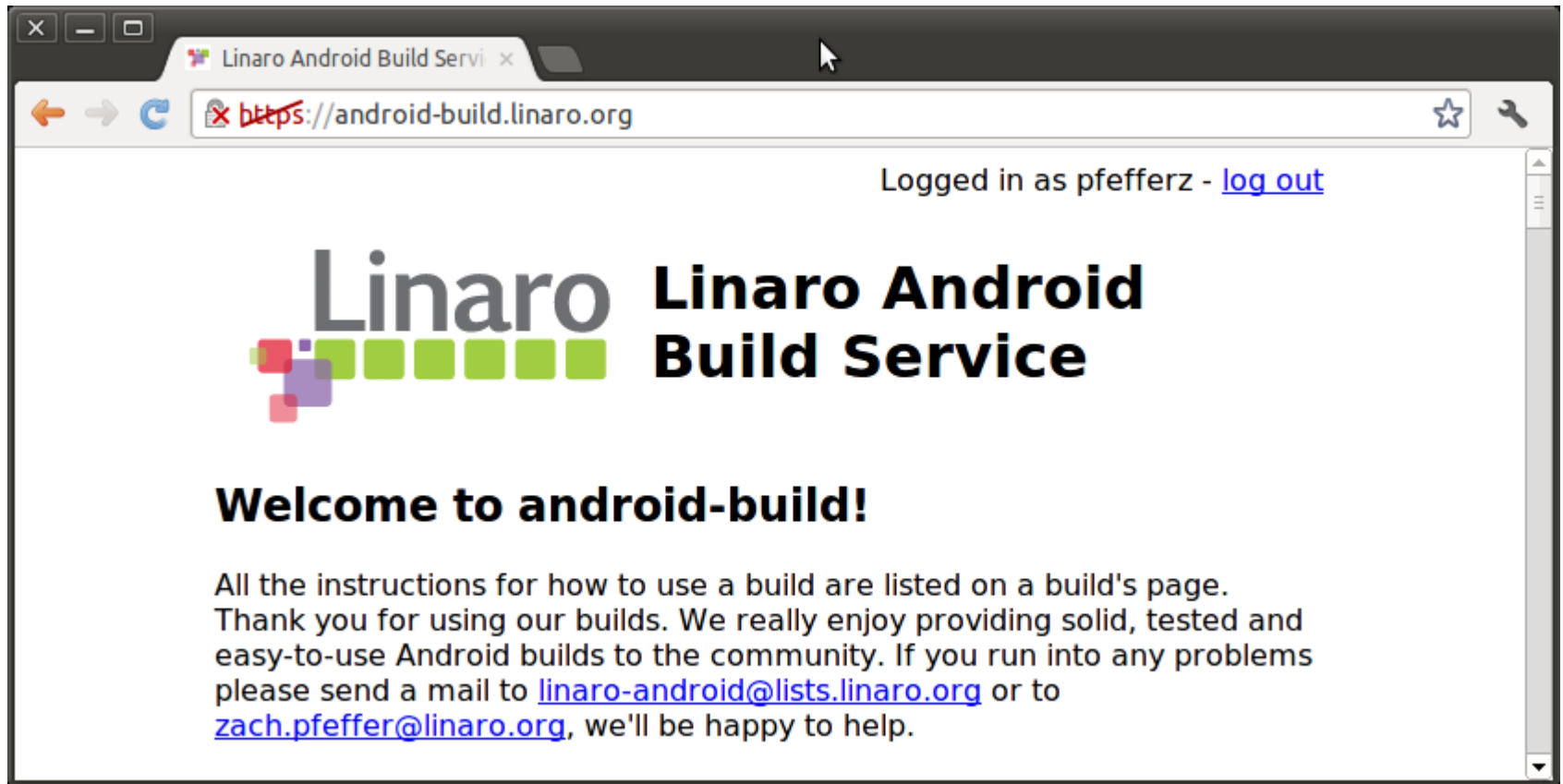
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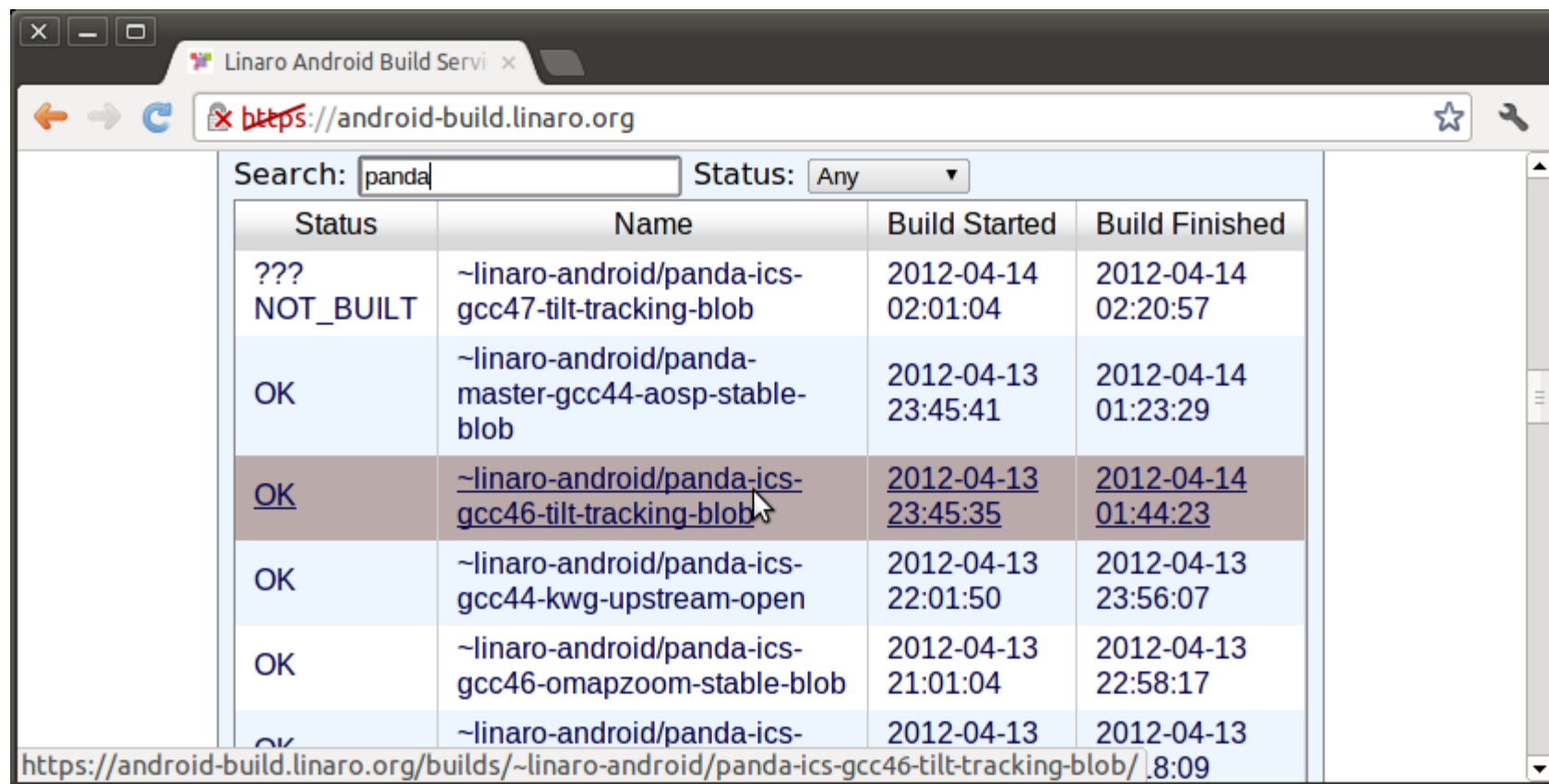




# Linaro's Android Build Site



# Find a Build



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying <https://android-build.linaro.org>. The search bar contains the text 'panda' and the status dropdown is set to 'Any'. Below the search bar is a table of build results.

Status	Name	Build Started	Build Finished
??? NOT_BUILT	~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc47-tilt-tracking-blob	2012-04-14 02:01:04	2012-04-14 02:20:57
OK	~linaro-android/panda-master-gcc44-aosp-stable-blob	2012-04-13 23:45:41	2012-04-14 01:23:29
<u>OK</u>	<u>~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob</u>	<u>2012-04-13 23:45:35</u>	<u>2012-04-14 01:44:23</u>
OK	~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc44-kwg-upstream-open	2012-04-13 22:01:50	2012-04-13 23:56:07
OK	~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-omapzoom-stable-blob	2012-04-13 21:01:04	2012-04-13 22:58:17
OK	~linaro-android/panda-ics-	2012-04-13	2012-04-13

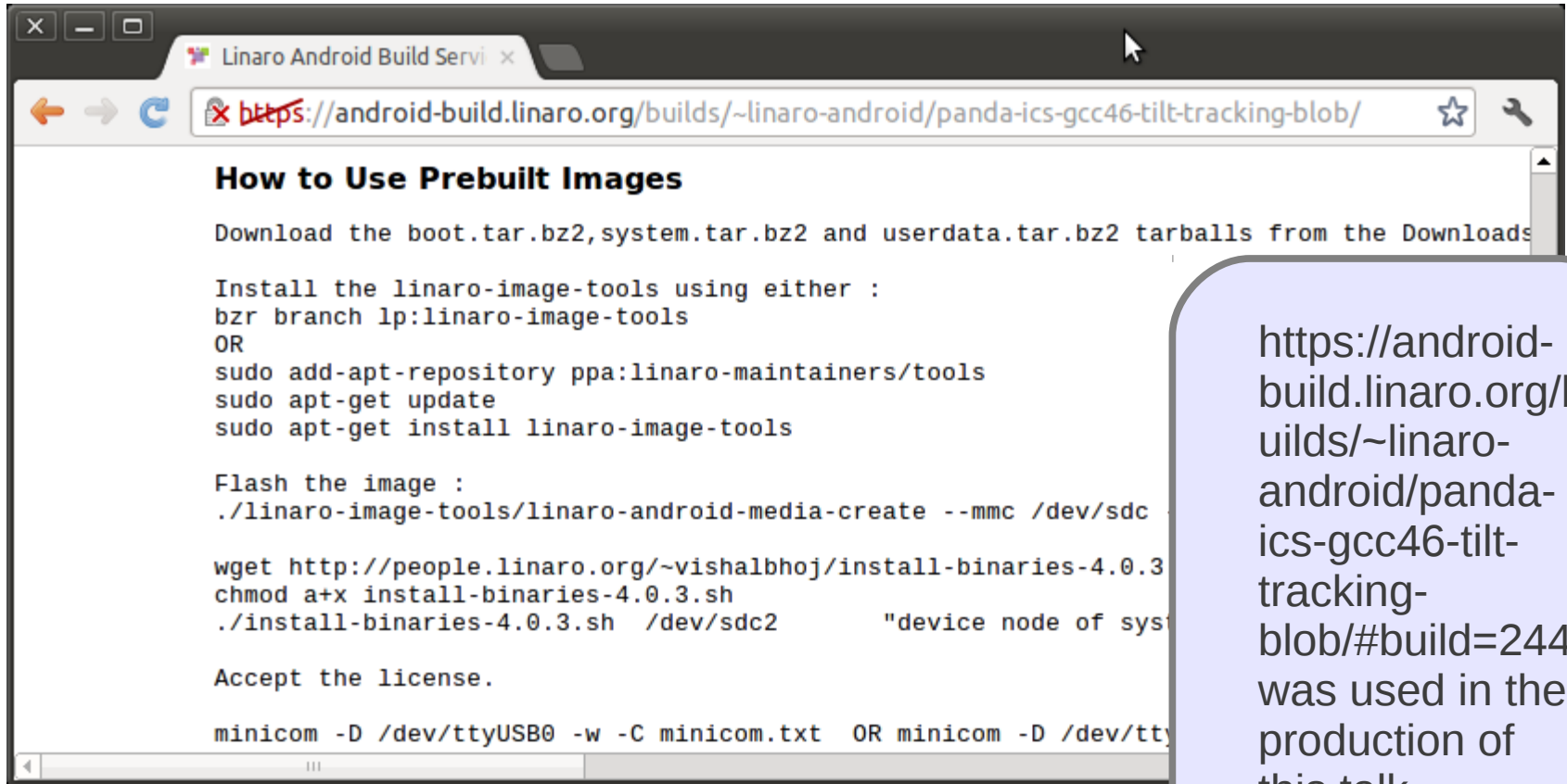
The URL at the bottom of the browser window is <https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/>.

Wow, that's a lot of builds, how can I find what I need?





# Follow the “Prebuilt” Instructions



**How to Use Prebuilt Images**

Download the boot.tar.bz2, system.tar.bz2 and userdata.tar.bz2 tarballs from the Downloads

Install the linaro-image-tools using either :

```
bzr branch lp:linaro-image-tools
```

OR

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:linaro-maintainers/tools
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install linaro-image-tools
```

Flash the image :

```
./linaro-image-tools/linaro-android-media-create --mmc /dev/sdc
```

wget http://people.linaro.org/~vishalbhoj/install-binaries-4.0.3  
chmod a+x install-binaries-4.0.3.sh  
./install-binaries-4.0.3.sh /dev/sdc2 "device node of sys

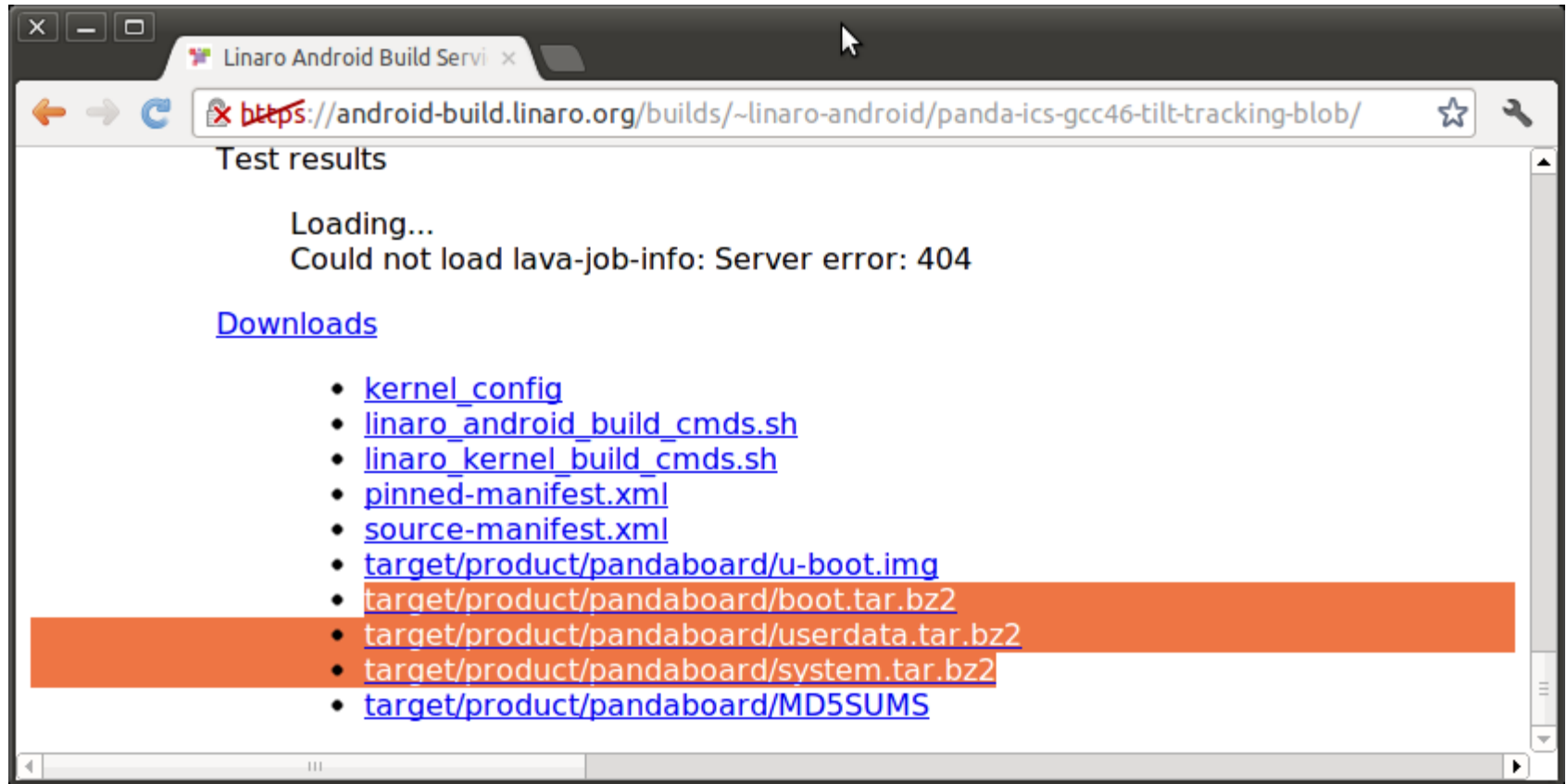
Accept the license.

```
minicom -D /dev/ttyUSB0 -w -C minicom.txt OR minicom -D /dev/tty
```

<https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/#build=244> was used in the production of this talk



# Save Images to Computer







# Get Programming Tools

```
sudo apt-get install bzip2  
  
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:linaro-maintainers/tools  
sudo apt-get update  
sudo apt-get install linaro-image-tools
```



# Plug an SD Card In

SD Card Reader



SD Card Reader



# Find Device Node

```
Terminal
$ dmesg
```

```
Terminal
(null)
[158460.760701] sdc: detected capacity change from 8068792320 to 0
[158462.759197] sd 9:0:0:1: [sdc] 15759360 512-byte logical blocks: (8.06 GB/7.5
1 GiB)
[158462.761375] sd 9:0:0:1: [sdc] No Caching mode page present
[158462.761384] sd 9:0:0:1: [sdc] Assuming drive cache: write through
[158462.764112] sd 9:0:0:1: [sdc] No Caching mode page present
[158462.764121] sd 9:0:0:1: [sdc] Assuming drive cache: write through
[158462.768383] sdc: sdc1 sdc2 sdc3 sdc4 < sdc5 sdc6 >
```

This line may  
look a little  
different



# Program the Images

```
bzr branch lp:linaro-image-tools

./linaro-image-tools/linaro-android-media-create \
--mmc /dev/sdc \
--dev panda \
--system system.tar.bz2 \
--userdata userdata.tar.bz2 \
--boot boot.tar.bz2
```



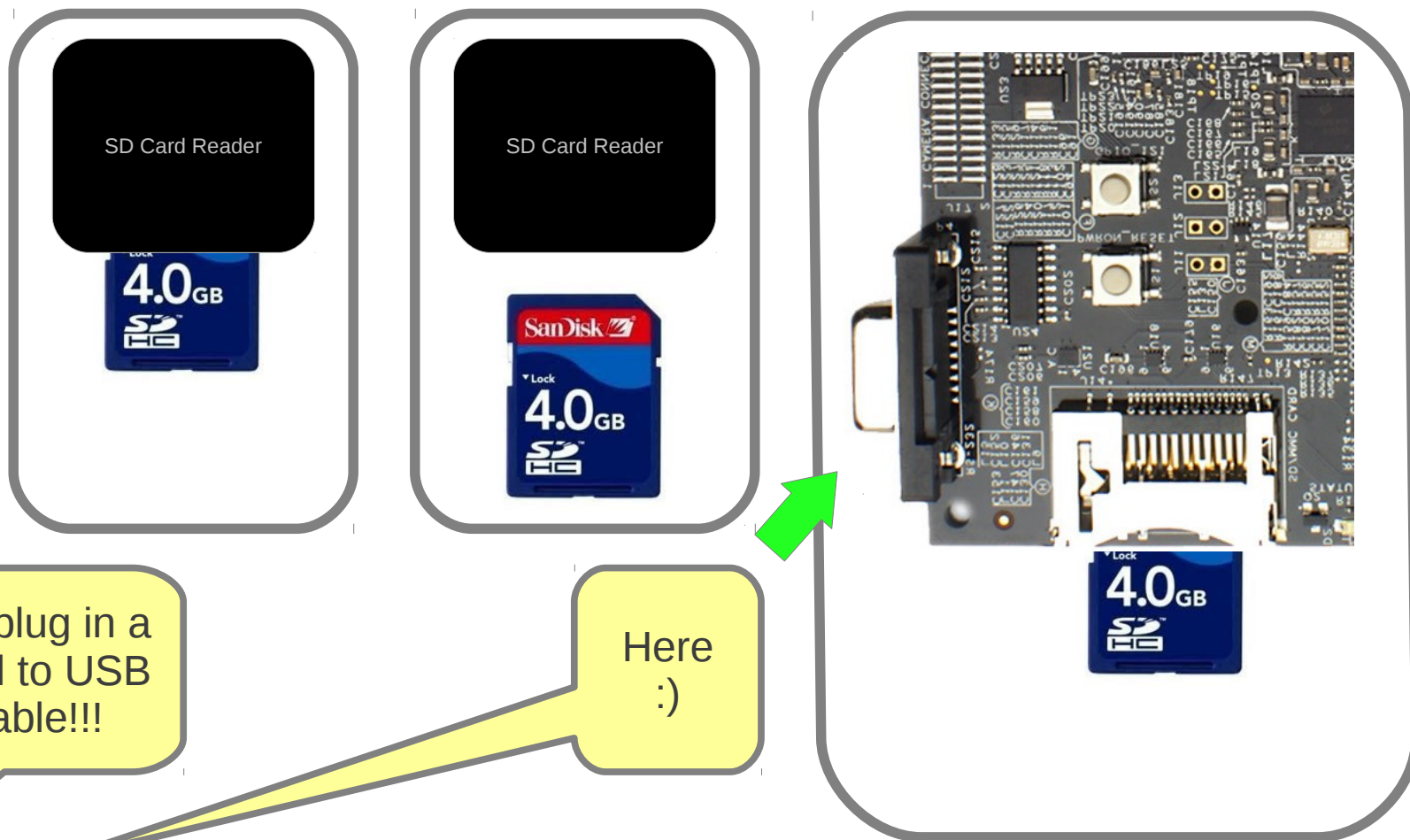


# Program the Graphics Binaries

```
wget http://people.linaro.org/~vishalbhoj/install-binaries-4.0.3.sh  
chmod a+x install-binaries-4.0.3.sh  
./install-binaries-4.0.3.sh /dev/sdc2
```



# Plug the SD Card Into the Target





# Start Up a Terminal

```
minicom -D /dev/ttyUSB0 -w -C minicom.txt
```





# Build and Use the Platform from Source

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# You'll Need Some Tools

```
sudo apt-get \  
zip          curl          flex          bison \  
build-essential git-core    gnupg         gperf \  
zlib1g-dev   libx11-dev  x11proto-core-dev gcc-multilib \  
g++-multilib libc6-dev-i386 ia32-libs lib32z-dev gcc-4.5 \  
g++-4.5      cpp-4.5     gcc-4.5-multilib g++-4.5-multilib \  
uboot-mkimage uuid-dev    openjdk-6-jdk ant \  
lib32ncurses5-dev
```





# Get the Code

Browse to:

<https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/#build=244>

```
export MANIFEST_REPO=git://android.git.linaro.org/platform/manifest.git
export MANIFEST_BRANCH=linaro_android_4.0.4
export MANIFEST_FILENAME=tracking-panda.xml
```

```
curl "http://android.git.linaro.org/gitweb?
p=tools/repo.git;a=blob_plain;f=repo;hb=refs/heads/stable" > repo
```

```
chmod +x repo
```

```
./repo init \
-u ${MANIFEST_REPO} \
-b ${MANIFEST_BRANCH} \
-m ${MANIFEST_FILENAME} \
--repo-url=git://android.git.linaro.org/tools/repo.git
```

```
./repo sync
```





# Get the Tools

```
export TOOLCHAIN_URL=http://android-build.linaro.org/download/linaro-  
android_toolchain-4.6-bzr/lastSuccessful/archive/build/out/android-  
toolchain-eabi-4.6-daily-linux-x86.tar.bz2
```

```
curl -k ${TOOLCHAIN_URL} > toolchain.tar.bz2
```

```
tar -jxf toolchain.tar.bz2
```

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:linaro-maintainers/tools
```

```
sudo apt-get update
```

```
sudo apt-get install linaro-image-tools
```

```
bzr branch lp:linaro-image-tools
```





# Rebuild, Program SD Card, Log

```
export TARGET_PRODUCT=pandaboard
export TARGET_TOOLS_PREFIX=\
android-toolchain-eabi/bin/arm-linux-androideabi-

make HOST_CC=gcc-4.5 HOST_CXX=g++-4.5 HOST_CPP=cpp-4.5 \
showcommands boottarball systemtarball userdatatarball

./linaro-image-tools/linaro-android-media-create \
--mmc /dev/sdc \
--dev panda \
--system out/target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2 \
--userdata out/target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2 \
--boot out/target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2

wget http://people.linaro.org/~vishalbhoj/install-binaries-4.0.3.sh
chmod a+x install-binaries-4.0.3.sh
./install-binaries-4.0.3.sh /dev/sdc2

minicom -D /dev/ttyUSB0 -w -C minicom.txt
```



# The Easy Way





# Save, Run, Hack

```
chmod a+x linaro_android_build_cmds.sh

./linaro_android_build_cmds.sh

./linaro-image-tools/linaro-android-media-create \
--mmc /dev/sdc \
--dev panda \
--system out/target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2 \
--userdata out/target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2 \
--boot out/target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2

./install-binaries-4.0.3.sh /dev/sdc2
```





# Debug with GDB

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# Tools

```
sudo apt-get install gdb-multiarch
```







# A Small Example

external/gdbdemo/Android.mk

```
LOCAL_PATH := $(call my-dir)

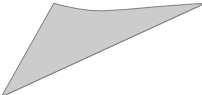
include $(CLEAR_VARS)

LOCAL_SRC_FILES := demo.c

LOCAL_MODULE_TAGS := optional

LOCAL_MODULE := gdbdemo
LOCAL_CFLAGS += -g -O0
LOCAL_SYSTEM_SHARED_LIBRARIES := libcutils liblog libc

include $(BUILD_EXECUTABLE)
```





# A Small Example

external/gdbdemo/demo.c

```
#include <cutils/log.h>

int loop = 1;

int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    while(loop)
        sleep(1);

    LOGE("Exiting!!!");

    exit(0);
}
```





# Build, Upload and Run

```
cd android
```

```
make HOST_CC=gcc-4.5 HOST_CXX=g++-4.5 HOST_CPP=cpp-4.5 \  
showcommands gdbdemo
```

```
adb remount
```

```
adb push \  
out/target/product/pandaboard/system/bin/gdbdemo \  
/system/bin/gdbdemo
```

```
adb shell gdbdemo
```





# Find the pid of gdbdemo

```
$adb shell ps | grep gdbdemo
```

```
root      1906   1904   892    272    c0064c80 400a5734 S  gdbdemo
```





# Setup Port Forwarding

```
adb forward tcp:5039 tcp:5039
```

This says:  
Forward the local TCP socket on port 5039  
to the remote TCP socket on port 5039

<https://github.com/keesj/gomo/wiki/AndroidGdbDebugging>





# Start the gdbserver

```
adb shell gdbserver :5039 --attach 1906
```

This says:

Start a gdb server listening on port 5039  
and attach it to pid 1906 (gdbdemo)





# Start the gdb client

```
cd android
```

```
gdb-multiarch --tui out/target/product/pandaboard/system/bin/gdbdemo
```

--tui

Use a terminal user interface



# Start the gdb client



A terminal window titled "Terminal" with a mouse cursor pointing at the top. The main area of the terminal displays the text "[ No Source Available ]". The bottom status bar shows "None No process In:" on the left, "Line: ?? PC: ??" on the right, and a scrollback history of GDB messages including "and 'show warranty' for details.", "This GDB was configured as 'x86\_64-linux-gnu'.", "For bug reporting instructions, please see:", "<http://bugs.launchpad.net/gdb-linaro/>...", "Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/bin/gdbdemo...(no debugging symbols found)...done.", and "(gdb) █".

```
[ No Source Available ]
```

None No process In: Line: ?? PC: ??

and "show warranty" for details.  
This GDB was configured as "x86\_64-linux-gnu".  
For bug reporting instructions, please see:  
<<http://bugs.launchpad.net/gdb-linaro/>>...  
Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/bin/gdbdemo...(no debugging symbols found)...done.  
(gdb) █







# Load Symbols and Code

```
(gdb) symbol-file  
out/target/product/pandaboard/symbols/system/bin/gdbdemo  
  
(gdb) set solib-search-path out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/
```





# Load Symbols and Code

```
Terminal
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
6      {
7          while(loop)
8              sleep(1);
9
10         LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11         exit(0);
12     }
13
14
15
16
17
18
exec No process In:                               Line: ??   PC: ??
Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/bin/gdbdemo...(no debugging symbols found)...done.
(gdb) symbol-file out/target/product/pandaboard/symbols/system/bin/gdbdemo
Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/symbols/system/bin/gdbdemo...done.
(gdb) set solib-search-path out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/
(gdb) █
```



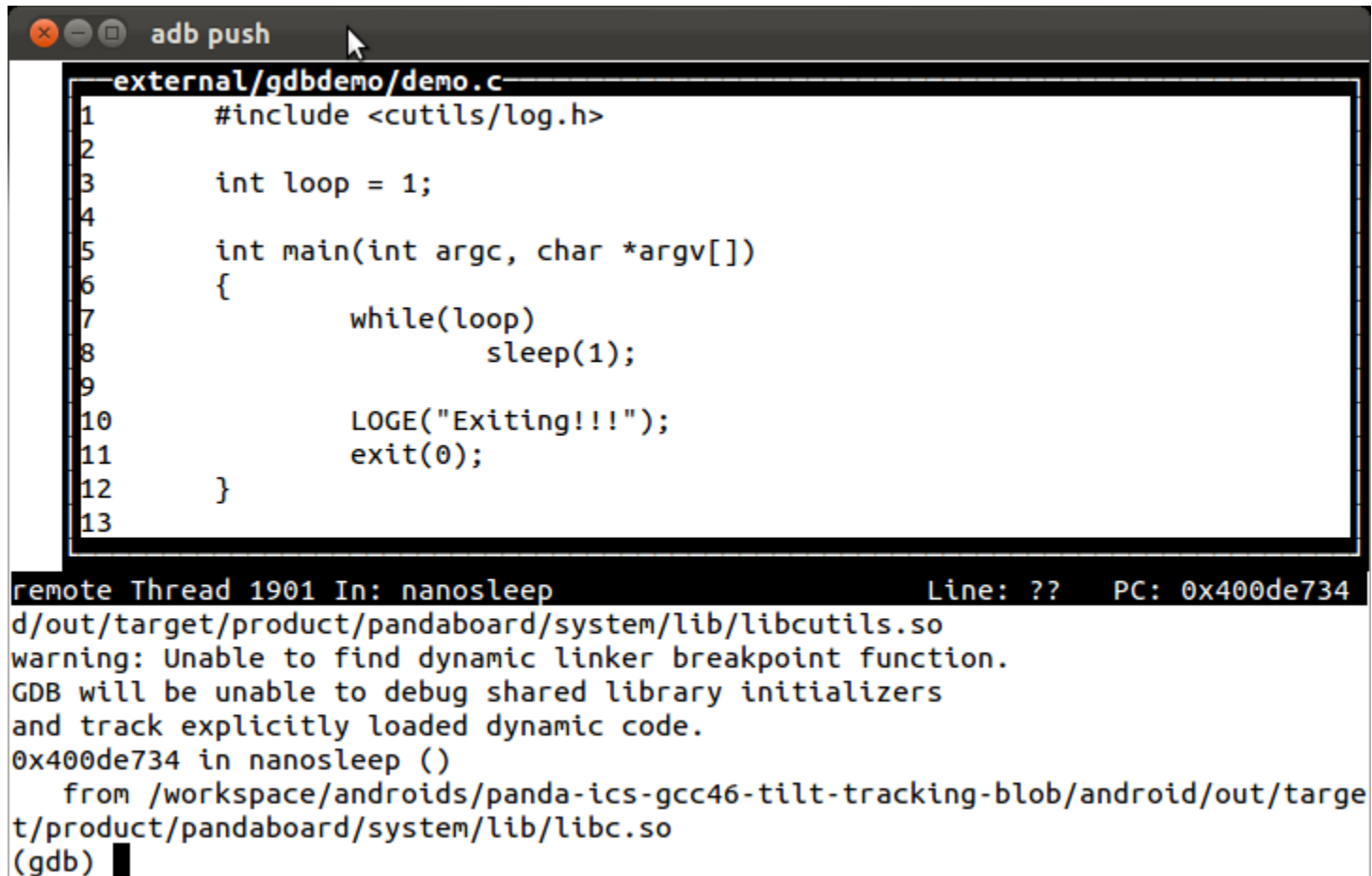


# Connect to Remote

```
(gdb) target remote :5039
```



# Connect to Remote

A screenshot of an Android Studio window titled 'adb push'. The window shows a code editor with a C program named 'demo.c' located at 'external/gdbdemo/demo.c'. The code includes a header file, declares a loop variable, and contains a main function with a while loop and a log statement. Below the code editor, a console window displays GDB output for a remote thread, showing the current instruction pointer and the path to the nanosleep function in the Android system libraries.

```
adb push

external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1  #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3  int loop = 1;
4
5  int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6  {
7      while(loop)
8          sleep(1);
9
10     LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11     exit(0);
12 }
13

remote Thread 1901 In: nanosleep Line: ?? PC: 0x400de734
d/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libcutils.so
warning: Unable to find dynamic linker breakpoint function.
GDB will be unable to debug shared library initializers
and track explicitly loaded dynamic code.
0x400de734 in nanosleep ()
    from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
(gdb) █
```





# where



```
adb push
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1  #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3  int loop = 1;
4
5  int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6  {
7      while(loop)
8          sleep(1);
9
10     LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11     exit(0);
12 }
13

remote Thread 1901 In: nanosleep                               Line: ??   PC: 0x400de734
#0  0x400de734 in nanosleep ()
    from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#1  0x400ec2e2 in sleep ()
    from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#2  0x000084a6 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:8
(gdb) █
```





# b 10

```
adb push
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1  #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3  int loop = 1;
4
5  int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6  {
7      while(loop)
8          sleep(1);
9
10     LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11     exit(0);
12 }
13
remote Thread 1901 In: nanosleep          Line: ??  PC: 0x400de734
t/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#1  0x400ec2e2 in sleep ()
    from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#2  0x000084a6 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:8
(gdb) b 10
Breakpoint 1 at 0x84b0: file external/gdbdemo/demo.c, line 10.
(gdb) █
```



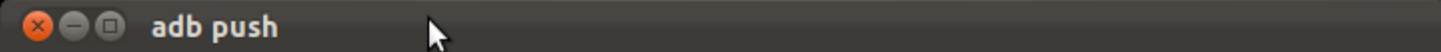
# p loop

```
adb push
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1  #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3  int loop = 1;
4
5  int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6  {
7      while(loop)
8          sleep(1);
9
10     LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11     exit(0);
12 }
13
remote Thread 1901 In: nanosleep Line: ?? PC: 0x400de734
from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/android/out/target/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#2  0x000084a6 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:8
(gdb) b 10
Breakpoint 1 at 0x84b0: file external/gdbdemo/demo.c, line 10.
(gdb) p loop
$1 = 1
(gdb)
```





# set var loop = 0



```
adb push
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1      #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3      int loop = 1;
4
5      int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6      {
7          while(loop)
8              sleep(1);
9
10         LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11         exit(0);
12     }
13
remote Thread 1901 In: nanosleep          Line: ??   PC: 0x400de734
t/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#2  0x000084a6 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:8
(gdb) b 10
Breakpoint 1 at 0x84b0: file external/gdbdemo/demo.c, line 10.
(gdb) p loop
$1 = 1
(gdb) set var loop = 0
(gdb)
```





# C

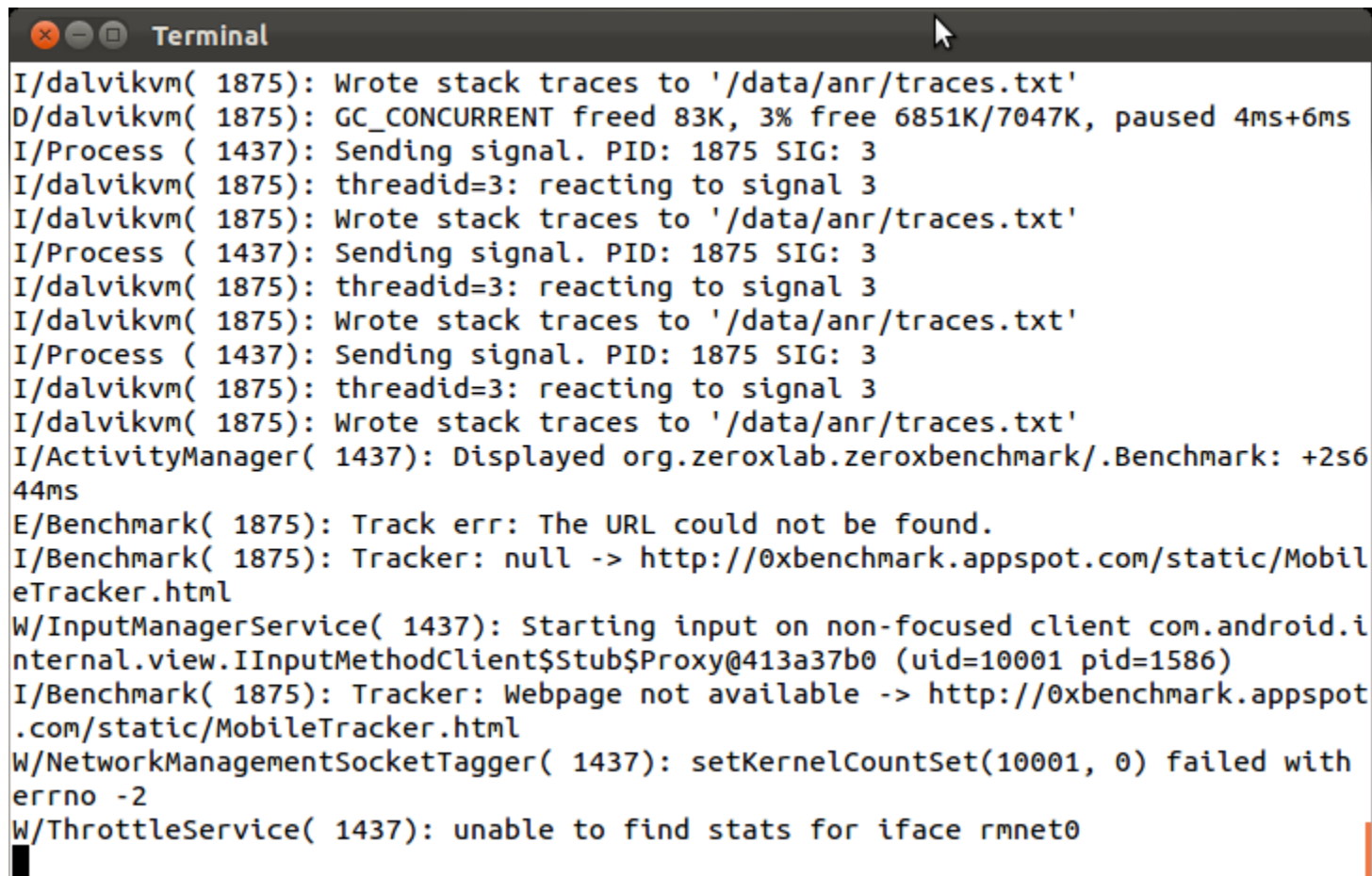
```
adb push
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
5      int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6      {
7          while(loop)
8              sleep(1);
9
b+> 10      LOGE("Exiting!!!");
11      exit(0);
12  }
13
14
15
16
17

remote Thread 1901 In: main                               Line: 10   PC: 0x84b2
t/product/pandaboard/system/lib/libc.so
#2  0x000084a6 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:8
(gdb) c
Continuing.

Program received signal SIGILL, Illegal instruction.
0x000084b2 in main (argc=1, argv=0xbe99ec74) at external/gdbdemo/demo.c:10
(gdb) █
```



# adb logcat



A terminal window titled "Terminal" displays the output of the adb logcat command. The output shows various system logs from the Dalvik VM, Process, ActivityManager, Benchmark, InputManagerService, NetworkManagementSocketTagger, and ThrottleService. The logs include stack trace writes, GC activity, signal sending, and error messages.

```
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
D/dalvikvm( 1875): GC_CONCURRENT freed 83K, 3% free 6851K/7047K, paused 4ms+6ms
I/Process ( 1437): Sending signal. PID: 1875 SIG: 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/Process ( 1437): Sending signal. PID: 1875 SIG: 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/Process ( 1437): Sending signal. PID: 1875 SIG: 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/ActivityManager( 1437): Displayed org.zeroxlab.zeroxbenchmark/.Benchmark: +2s644ms
E/Benchmark( 1875): Track err: The URL could not be found.
I/Benchmark( 1875): Tracker: null -> http://0xbenchmark.appspot.com/static/MobileTracker.html
W/InputManagerService( 1437): Starting input on non-focused client com.android.internal.view.IInputMethodClient$Stub$Proxy@413a37b0 (uid=10001 pid=1586)
I/Benchmark( 1875): Tracker: Webpage not available -> http://0xbenchmark.appspot.com/static/MobileTracker.html
W/NetworkManagementSocketTagger( 1437): setKernelCountSet(10001, 0) failed with errno -2
W/ThrottleService( 1437): unable to find stats for iface rmnet0
```



# C

```
Terminal
external/gdbdemo/demo.c
1  #include <cutils/log.h>
2
3  int loop = 1;
4
5  int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6  {
7      while(loop)
8          sleep(1);
9
10     LOGE("Exiting!!!");
b+

remote Thread 1912 In:                               Line: ??   PC: 0xb00010a4
(gdb) c
Continuing.

Program received signal SIGCONT, Continued.
0xb00010a4 in ?? ()
(gdb) █
```



# adb logcat

```
Terminal
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/Process ( 1437): Sending signal. PID: 1875 SIG: 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/Process ( 1437): Sending signal. PID: 1875 SIG: 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): threadid=3: reacting to signal 3
I/dalvikvm( 1875): Wrote stack traces to '/data/anr/traces.txt'
I/ActivityManager( 1437): Displayed org.zeroxlab.zeroxbenchmark/.Benchmark: +2s644ms
E/Benchmark( 1875): Track err: The URL could not be found.
I/Benchmark( 1875): Tracker: null -> http://0xbenchmark.appspot.com/static/MobileTracker.html
W/InputManagerService( 1437): Starting input on non-focused client com.android.internal.view.IInputMethodClient$Stub$Proxy@413a37b0 (uid=10001 pid=1586)
I/Benchmark( 1875): Tracker: Webpage not available -> http://0xbenchmark.appspot.com/static/MobileTracker.html
W/NetworkManagementSocketTagger( 1437): setKernelCountSet(10001, 0) failed with errno -2
W/ThrottleService( 1437): unable to find stats for iface rmnet0
F/libc ( 1901): Fatal signal 4 (SIGILL) at 0x000084b2 (code=1)
I/DEBUG ( 1320): ptrace attach failed: Operation not permitted
?/ ( 1901): Exiting!!!
```





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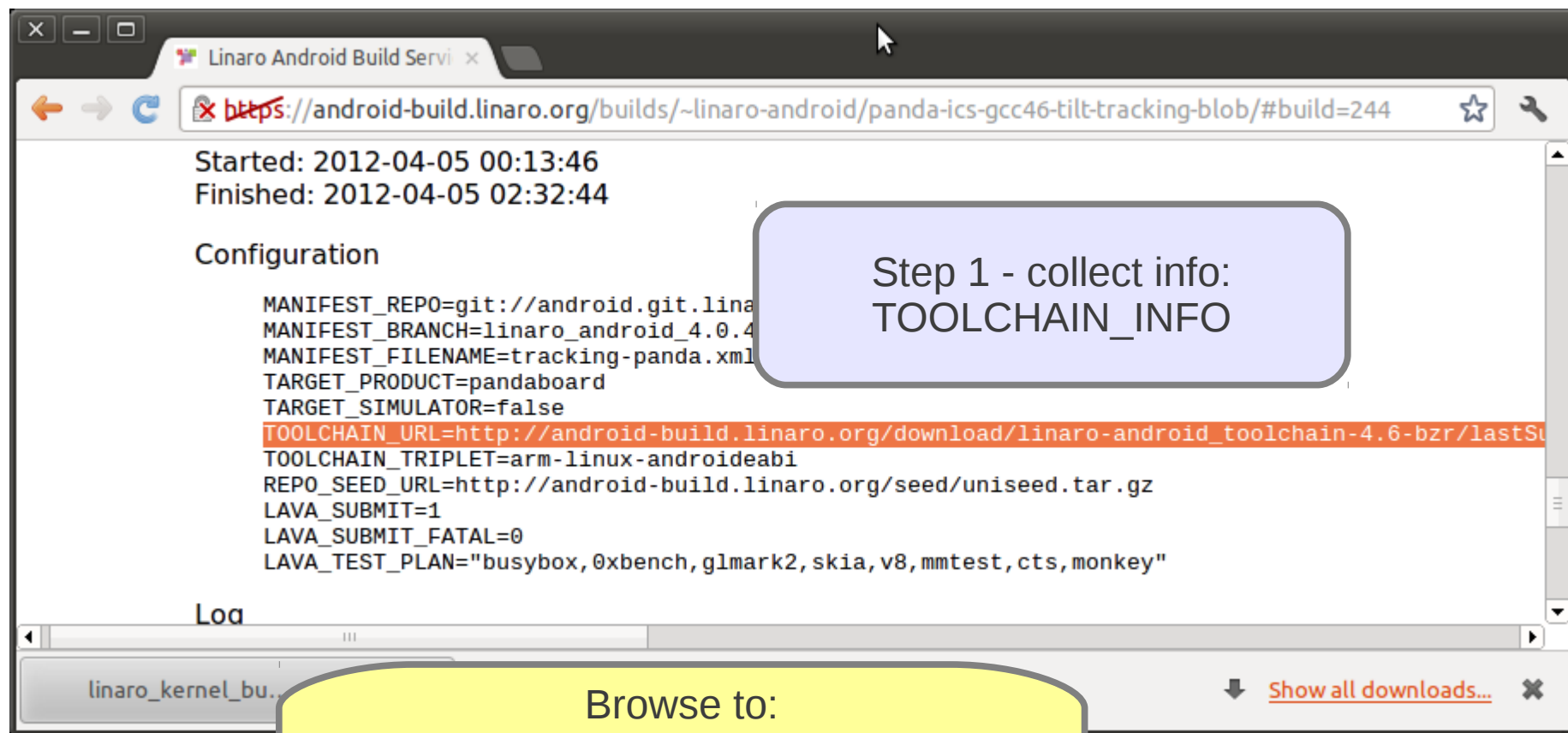


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# Rebuild the Kernel



Started: 2012-04-05 00:13:46  
Finished: 2012-04-05 02:32:44

Configuration

```
MANIFEST_REPO=git://android.git.linaro.org
MANIFEST_BRANCH=linaro_android_4.0.4
MANIFEST_FILENAME=tracking-panda.xml
TARGET_PRODUCT=pandaboard
TARGET_SIMULATOR=false
TOOLCHAIN_URL=http://android-build.linaro.org/download/linaro-android_toolchain-4.6-bzr/lastStable
TOOLCHAIN_TRIPLET=arm-linux-androideabi
REPO_SEED_URL=http://android-build.linaro.org/seed/uniseed.tar.gz
LAVA_SUBMIT=1
LAVA_SUBMIT_FATAL=0
LAVA_TEST_PLAN="busybox,0xbench,glmark2,skia,v8,mmtest,cts,monkey"
```

Step 1 - collect info:  
TOOLCHAIN\_INFO

Browse to:  
<https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/#build=244>



# Rebuild the Kernel



A screenshot of a web browser window. The address bar shows a URL that has been partially redacted with a red 'x' and the text 'https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/#build=244'. Below the address bar, a message reads 'Could not load lava-job-info: Server error: 404'. Under the heading 'Downloads', there is a list of links: 'kernel config' (highlighted with an orange box), 'linaro\_android\_build\_cmds.sh', 'linaro\_kernel\_build\_cmds.sh', 'pinned-manifest.xml', 'source-manifest.xml', 'target/product/pandaboard/u-boot.img', 'target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2', 'target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2', 'target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2', and 'target/product/pandaboard/MD5SUMS'. A light blue rounded rectangle callout points to the 'kernel config' link with the text 'Step 2 – “save link”: kernel\_config'. The browser's download bar at the bottom shows a file named 'linaro\_kernel\_bu....sh' and a link to 'Show all downloads...'. The Linaro logo is visible in the top left corner of the slide.

Could not load lava-job-info: Server error: 404

Downloads

- **kernel config**
- [linaro\\_android\\_build\\_cmds.sh](#)
- [linaro\\_kernel\\_build\\_cmds.sh](#)
- [pinned-manifest.xml](#)
- [source-manifest.xml](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/u-boot.img](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/MD5SUMS](#)

Step 2 – “save link”:  
kernel\_config

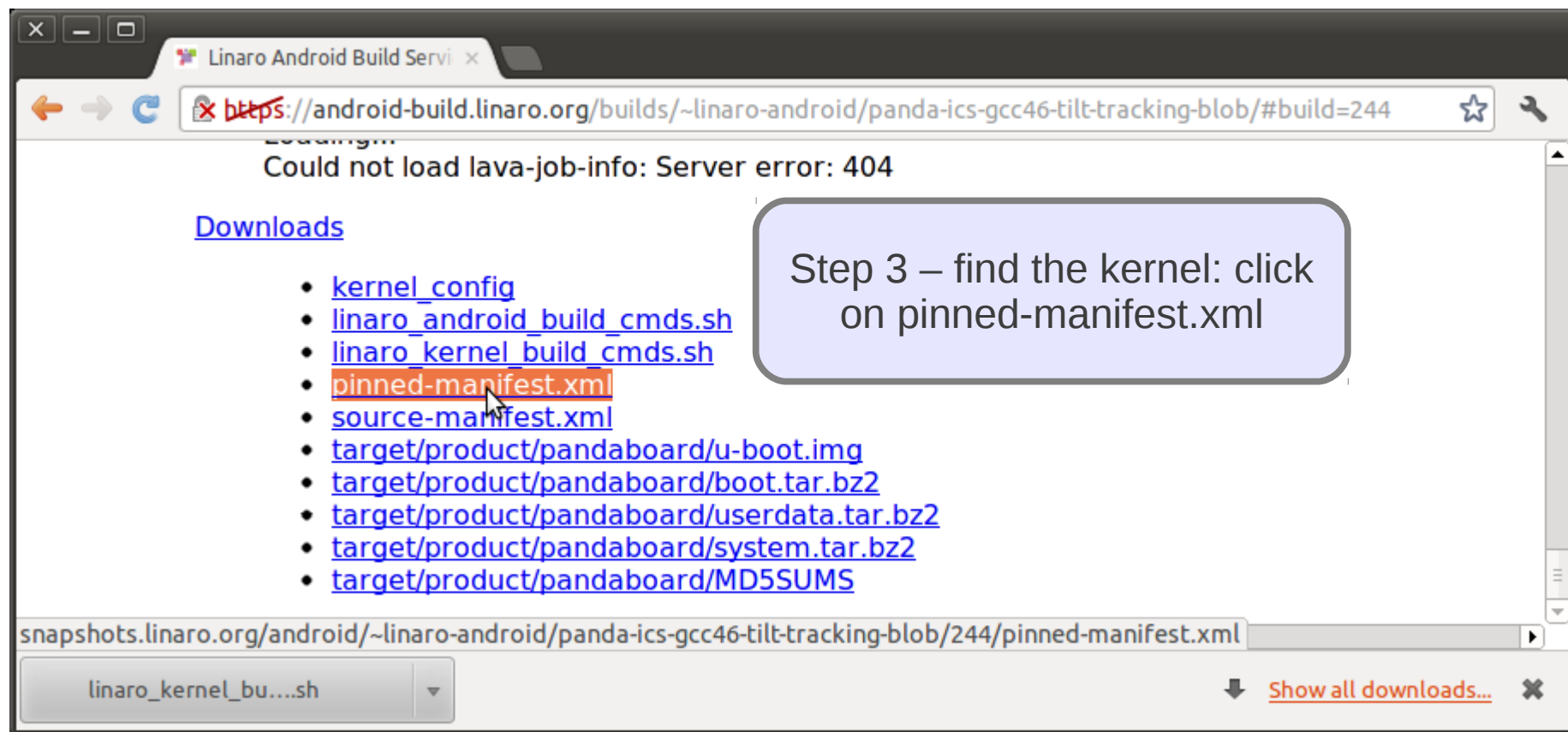
linaro\_kernel\_bu....sh

Show all downloads...





# Rebuild the Kernel



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https://android-build.linaro.org/builds/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/#build=244

Could not load lava-job-info: Server error: 404

Downloads

- [kernel\\_config](#)
- [linaro\\_android\\_build\\_cmds.sh](#)
- [linaro\\_kernel\\_build\\_cmds.sh](#)
- [pinned-manifest.xml](#)
- [source-manifest.xml](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/u-boot.img](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2](#)
- [target/product/pandaboard/MD5SUMS](#)

snapshots.linaro.org/android/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/244/pinned-manifest.xml

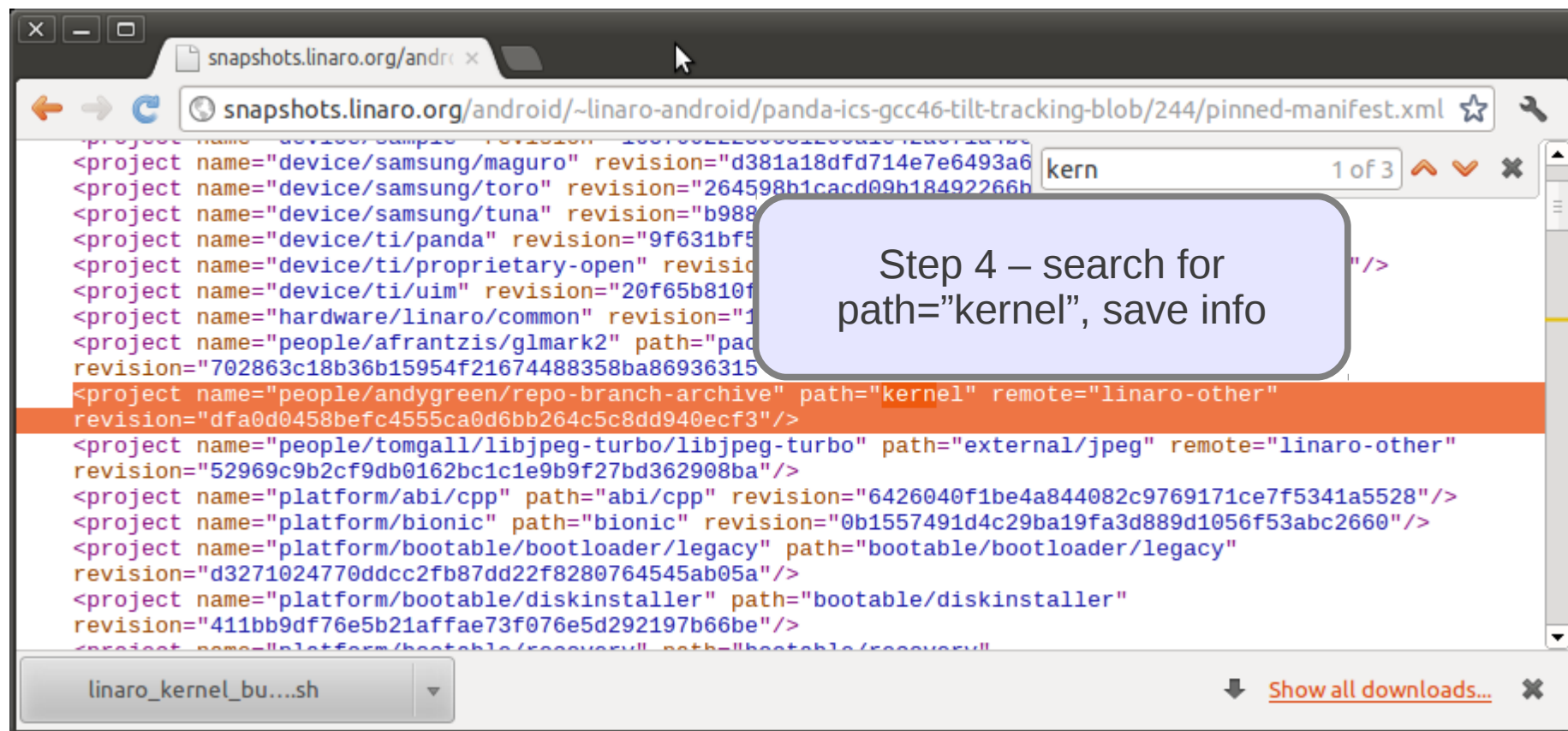
linaro\_kernel\_bu....sh

↓ [Show all downloads...](#) ✕

Step 3 – find the kernel: click on pinned-manifest.xml



# Rebuild the Kernel



Step 4 – search for path="kernel", save info

```
<project name="device/samsung/maguro" revision="d381a18dfd714e7e6493a6" />
<project name="device/samsung/toro" revision="264598b1cacd09b18492266b" />
<project name="device/samsung/tuna" revision="b988" />
<project name="device/ti/panda" revision="9f631bf5" />
<project name="device/ti/proprietary-open" revision="1" />
<project name="device/ti/uim" revision="20f65b810f" />
<project name="hardware/linaro/common" revision="1" />
<project name="people/afrantzis/glmark2" path="pad" revision="702863c18b36b15954f21674488358ba86936315" />
<project name="people/andygreen/repo-branch-archive" path="kernel" remote="linaro-other" revision="dfa0d0458befc4555ca0d6bb264c5c8dd940ecf3" />
<project name="people/tomgall/libjpeg-turbo/libjpeg-turbo" path="external/jpeg" remote="linaro-other" revision="52969c9b2cf9db0162bc1c1e9b9f27bd362908ba" />
<project name="platform/abi/cpp" path="abi/cpp" revision="6426040f1be4a844082c9769171ce7f5341a5528" />
<project name="platform/bionic" path="bionic" revision="0b1557491d4c29ba19fa3d889d1056f53abc2660" />
<project name="platform/bootable/bootloader/legacy" path="bootable/bootloader/legacy" revision="d3271024770ddcc2fb87dd22f8280764545ab05a" />
<project name="platform/bootable/diskinstaller" path="bootable/diskinstaller" revision="411bb9df76e5b21affae73f076e5d292197b66be" />
<project name="platform/bootable/recovery" path="bootable/recovery" />
```

linaro\_kernel\_bu....sh

Show all downloads...



HEY!  
What's linaro-other?



# Rebuild the Kernel

snapshots.linaro.org/android/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/244/pinned-manifest.xml

This XML file does not appear to have any style information associated with it. The document is titled 'kern' 1 of 3

```
<manifest>
  <remote fetch="git://android.git.linaro.org/" name="aosp" review="review.android.git.linaro.org"/>
  <remote fetch="https://android.googlesource.com/" name="aosp-upstream"/>
  <remote fetch="git://git.linaro.org/" name="linaro-other"/>
  <default remote="aosp" revision="refs/tags/android-4.0.4_r1.1" sync-j="4"/>
  <project name="arm/ds5/gator" path="external/gator" remote="linaro-other"
revision="be919cae567218759122a0ba95e3c92a04f7a3dc"/>
  <project name="boot/u-boot-linaro-stable" path="u-boot-linaro-stable" remote="linaro-other"
revision="8df579560e8e098668931b5125b37c3b1dbc0e57"/>
  <project name="device/common" revision="7d4526582f"/>
  <project name="device/generic/goldfish" revision="123ded"/>
  <project name="device/google/accessory/arduino" revision="69138"/>
  <project name="device/google/accessory/demokit" revision="123ded"/>
  <project name="device/linaro/common" revision="971d86c17789efb24767410edf0199e8076cae87"/>
  <project name="device/linaro/pandaboard" revision="c44be58d842d3116bbc08cd79e50db1d9f8d9f99"/>
  <project name="device/sample" revision="16c70022239c31200a1e42a671a4b621fd5c43e6"/>
  <project name="device/samsung/maguro" revision="d381a18dfd714e7e6493a67b252344d120a319f4"/>

```

linaro\_kernel\_bu....sh

Show all downloads...

Thanks...





# Gets Tools and Source

```
mkdir rebuild_kernel; cd rebuild_kernel

curl -q http://android-build.linaro.org/download/linaro-android_toolchain-4.6-
bzs/lastSuccessful/archive/build/out/android-toolchain-eabi-4.6-daily-linux-x86.tar.bz2
> android-toolchain-eabi.tar.bz2

tar -jxvf android-toolchain-eabi.tar.bz2

export CROSS_COMPILE=/workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/android-toolchain-eabi/bin/arm-linux-androideabi-

mkdir out

curl -q http://snapshots.linaro.org/android/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-
tracking-blob/244/kernel_config > out/.config

git clone git://git.linaro.org/people/andygreen/repo-branch-archive kernel

cd kernel

git checkout dfa0d0458befc4555ca0d6bb264c5c8dd940ecf3

cd ..
```





# Build

```
export CPUS=`grep -c processor /proc/cpuinfo`  
  
make -j${CPUS} O=../out ARCH=arm CROSS_COMPILE=${CROSS_COMPILE} uImage  
modules  
  
mkdir ../out/modules_for_android  
  
make O=../out ARCH=arm modules_install  
INSTALL_MOD_PATH=../out/modules_for_android
```



Hey!



# Build

```
mkdir rebuild_kernel; cd rebuild_kernel

curl -q http://android-build.linaro.org/download/linaro-android_toolchain-4.6-bzr/lastSuccessful/archive/build/out/android-toolchain-eabi-4.6-daily-linux-x86.tar.bz2 > android-toolchain-eabi.tar.bz2

tar -jxvf android-toolchain-eabi.tar.bz2

mkdir out

curl -q http://snapshots.linaro.org/android/~linaro-android/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/244/kernel_config > out/.config

git clone git://git.linaro.org/people/andygreen/repo-branch-archive kernel

cd kernel

git checkout dfa0d0458befc4555ca0d6bb264c5c8dd940ecf3

cd ..
```



# Plug an SD Card In

SD Card Reader



SD Card Reader





# Use

```
cd android

./linaro-image-tools/linaro-android-media-create \
--mmc /dev/sdc \
--dev panda \
--system out/target/product/pandaboard/system.tar.bz2 \
--userdata out/target/product/pandaboard/userdata.tar.bz2 \
--boot out/target/product/pandaboard/boot.tar.bz2

./install-binaries-4.0.3.sh /dev/sdc2

mkdir mnt

sudo mount /dev/sdc1 mnt

ls mnt

sudo cp ../rebuild_kernel/out/arch/arm/boot/uImage mnt

sudo umount mnt

sync
```



Helllloo?!?





# One sec...

What do you need little  
Android?





# One sec...

Right...lets chat about that.



What about build naming?



# android-build.linaro.org Build Naming

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# Name break down

Named by major build components

snowball-ics-gcc46-igloo-stable-blob

snowball

Board

ics

Android version

gcc46

Compiled with GCC

igloo

Kernel Community of Origen

stable

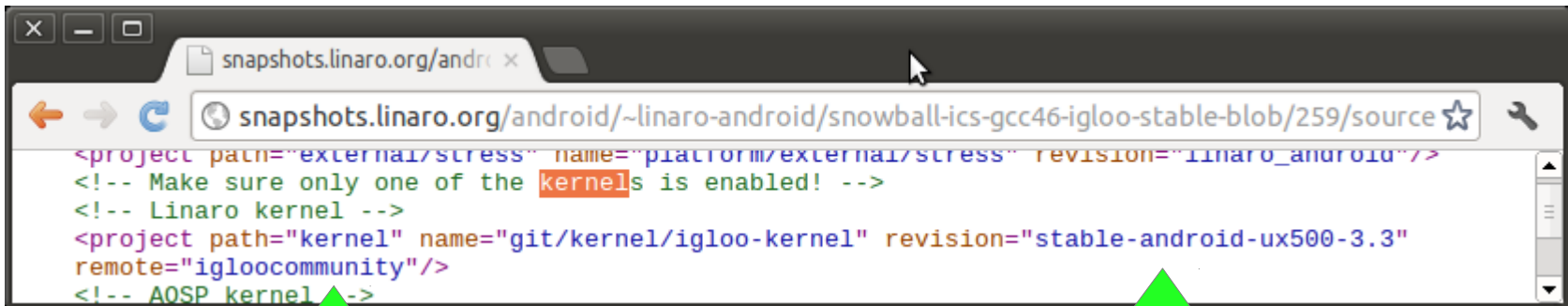
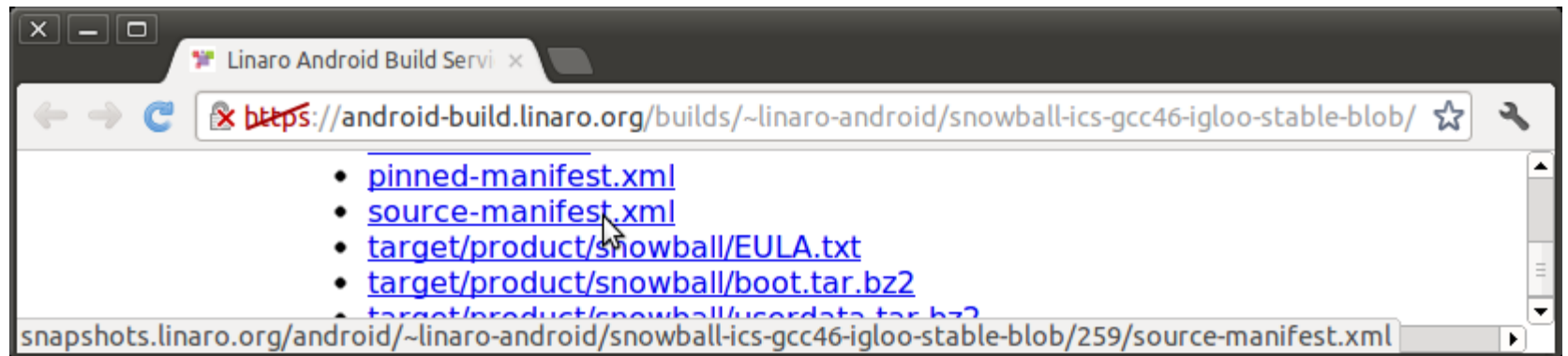
Type of Kernel branch

blob

How enablement is delivered



# Kernel and Branch



igloo

stable





# Back to Rebuild the Kernel

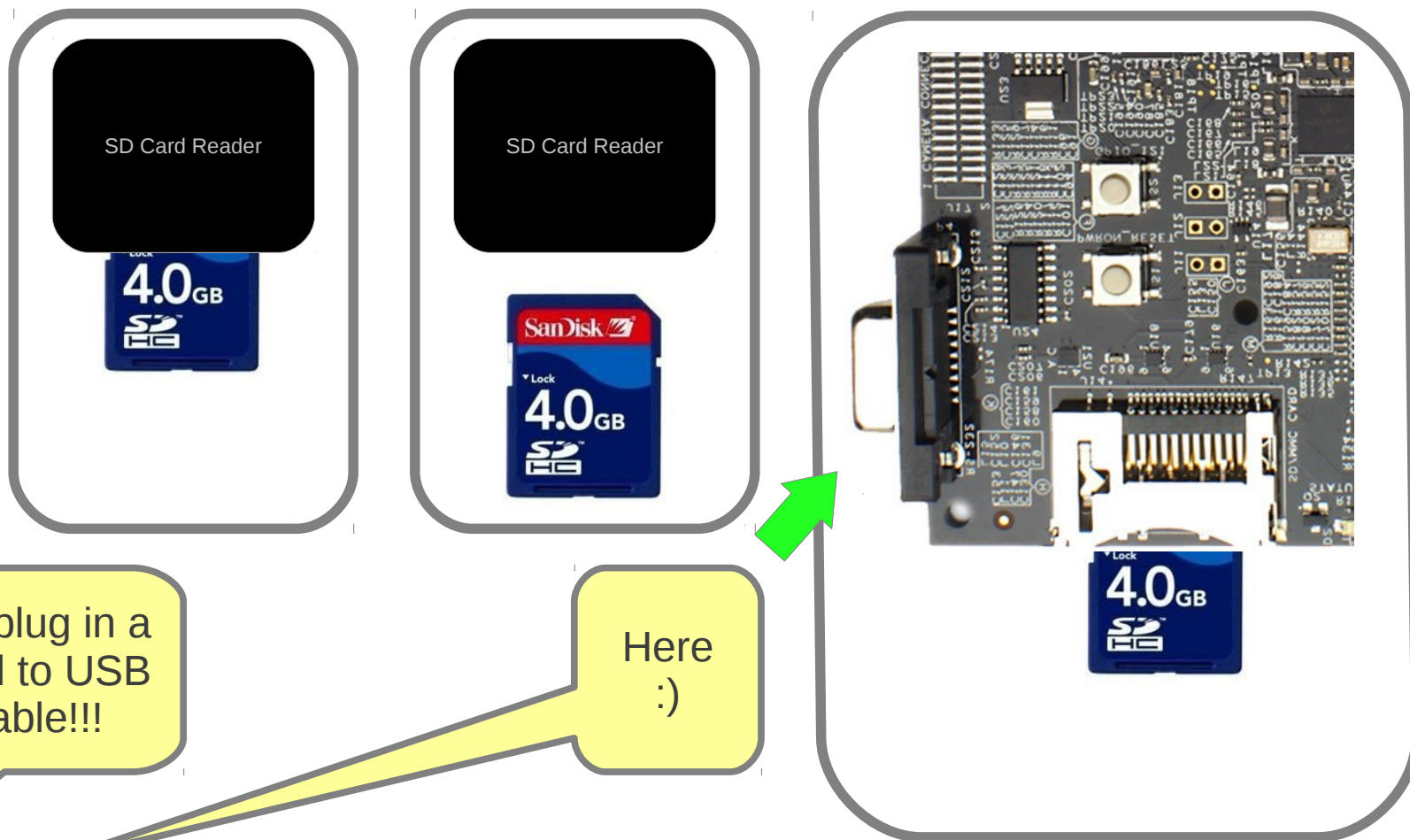
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# Plug the SD Card Into the Target





# Proof

Step 1: Go to Settings > About tablet

Step 2: Look at "Kernel version"



Ha! Prove it!





# Change the Kernel's Config

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# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

- [ ] 1. Set CONFIG\_EXPERIMENTAL to y
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- [ ] 3. Set CONFIG\_FRAME\_POINTER to y
- [ ] 4. Set CONFIG\_DEBUG\_RODATA to y
- [ ] 5. Set CONFIG\_KGDB to y





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

```
cd kernel  
cp ../out/.config ../out/origconfig  
make O=../out ARCH=arm menuconfig
```

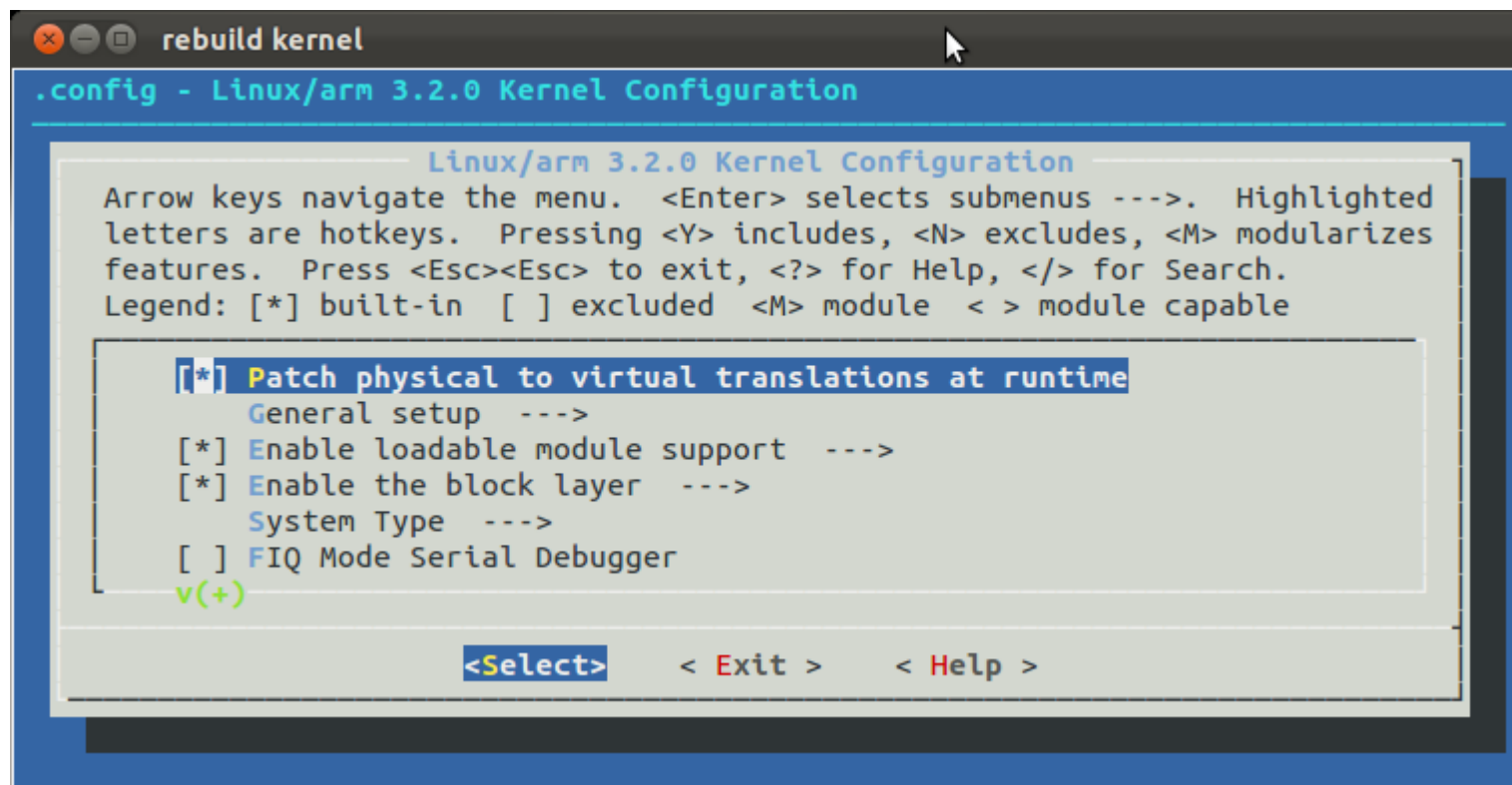
The kernel is full of Documentation in tree.

```
sudo apt-get install docbook-utils  
sudo apt-get install xmlto  
make htmldocs
```

Its here too: <http://www.kernel.org/doc/htmldocs/>



# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



The screenshot shows a window titled "rebuild kernel" with a terminal-like interface for "Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration". The window has a blue header bar. Inside, there's a light gray box with instructions: "Arrow keys navigate the menu. <Enter> selects submenus --->. Highlighted letters are hotkeys. Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes, <M> modularizes features. Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </> for Search. Legend: [\*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module <> module capable". Below this, a list of configuration options is shown. The first option, "[\*] Patch physical to virtual translations at runtime", is highlighted in blue. Below it are "General setup --->", "[\*] Enable loadable module support --->", "[\*] Enable the block layer --->", "System Type --->", and "[ ] FIQ Mode Serial Debugger". At the bottom of the list is "v(+)" in green. At the bottom of the window, there are three buttons: "<Select>", "< Exit >", and "< Help >".

```
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration
Arrow keys navigate the menu. <Enter> selects submenus --->. Highlighted
letters are hotkeys. Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes, <M> modularizes
features. Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </> for Search.
Legend: [*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module <> module capable

[*] Patch physical to virtual translations at runtime
    General setup --->
[*] Enable loadable module support --->
[*] Enable the block layer --->
    System Type --->
[ ] FIQ Mode Serial Debugger
v(+)
```

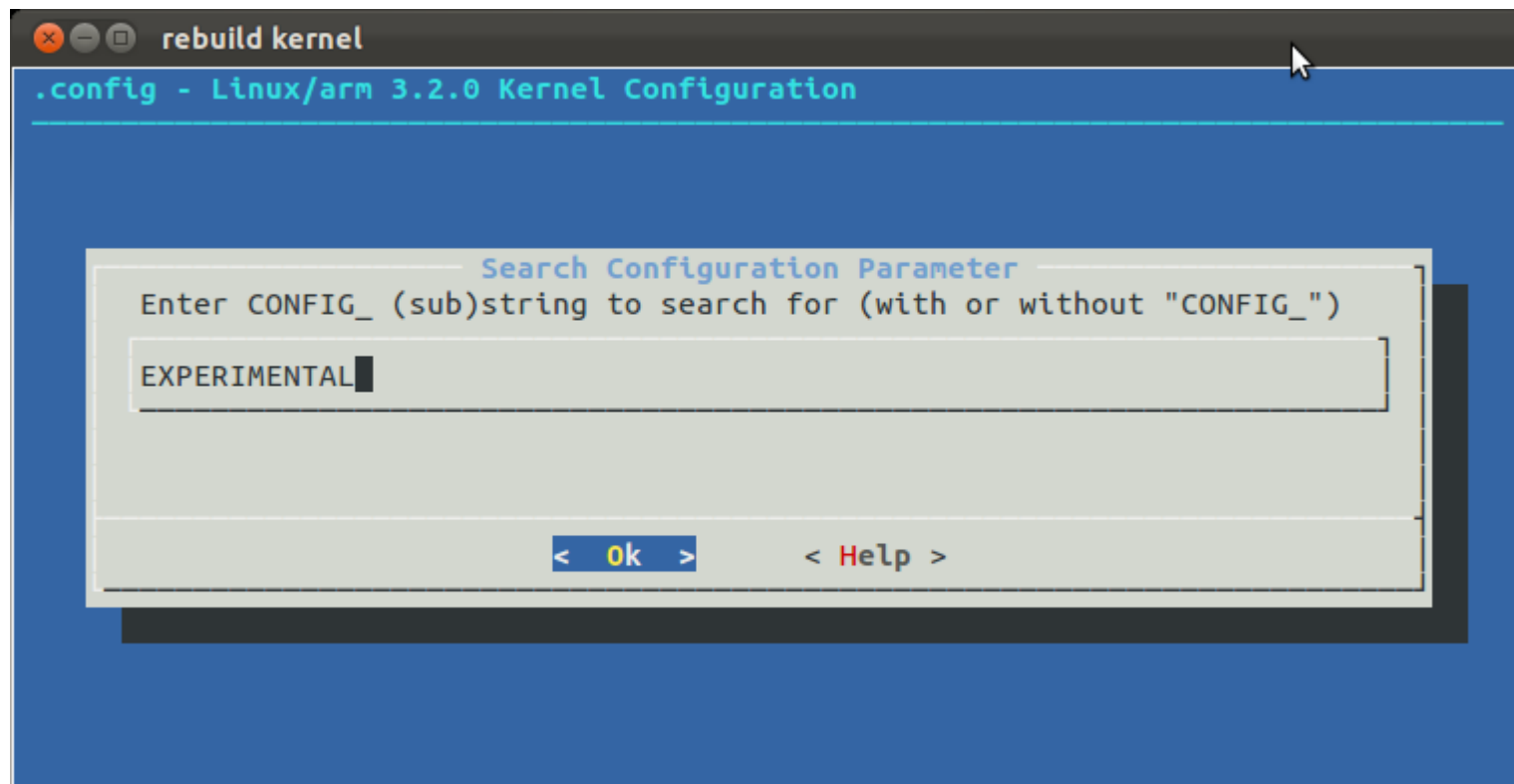
<Select> < Exit > < Help >

Press / then type the string that comes after CONFIG\_ to find where an option is,





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

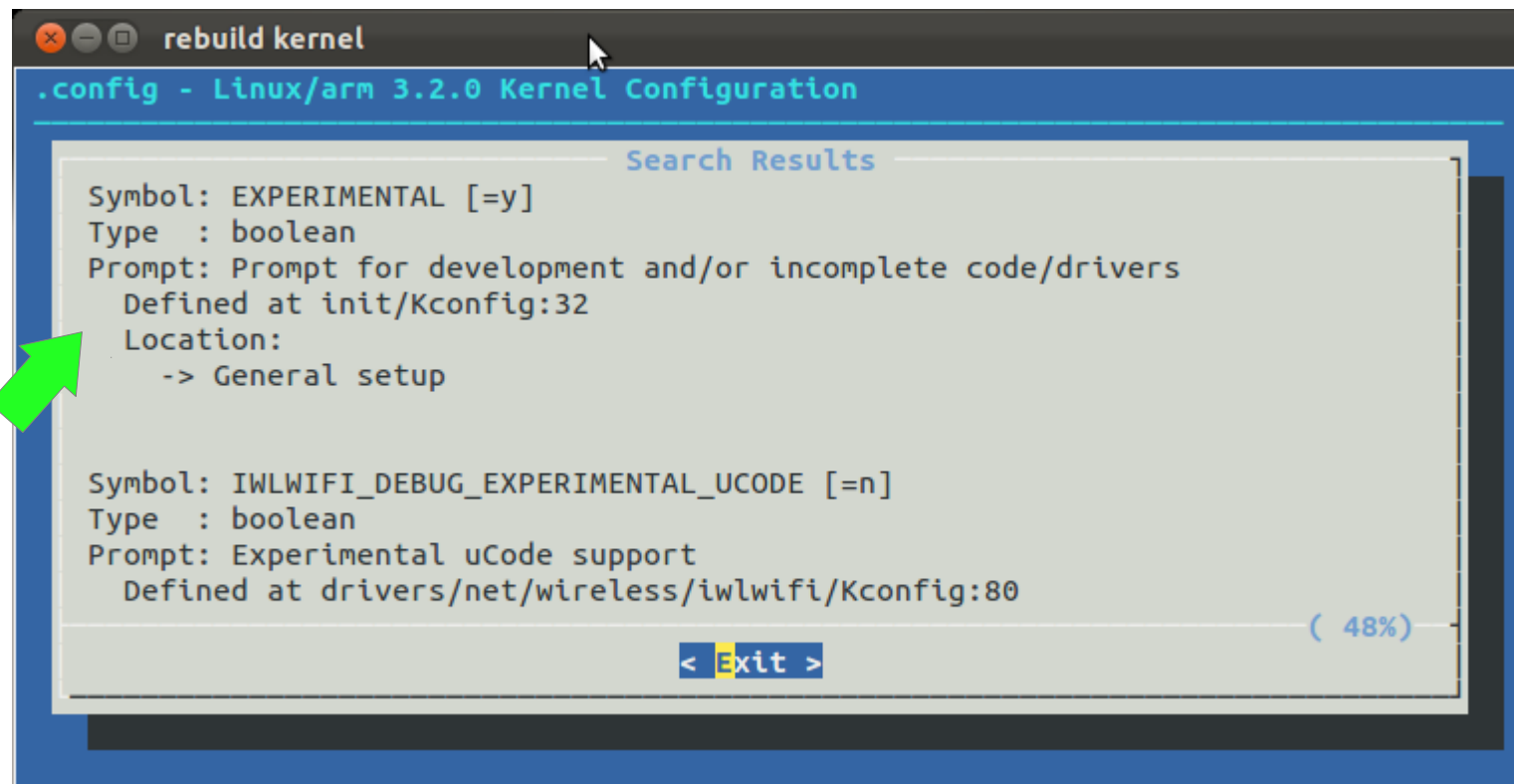


Cool eh?

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# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "rebuild kernel" with a blue header bar that reads ".config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration". A search results box is open, displaying the following information for the "EXPERIMENTAL" symbol:

```
Symbol: EXPERIMENTAL [=y]
Type : boolean
Prompt: Prompt for development and/or incomplete code/drivers
Defined at init/Kconfig:32
Location:
-> General setup
```

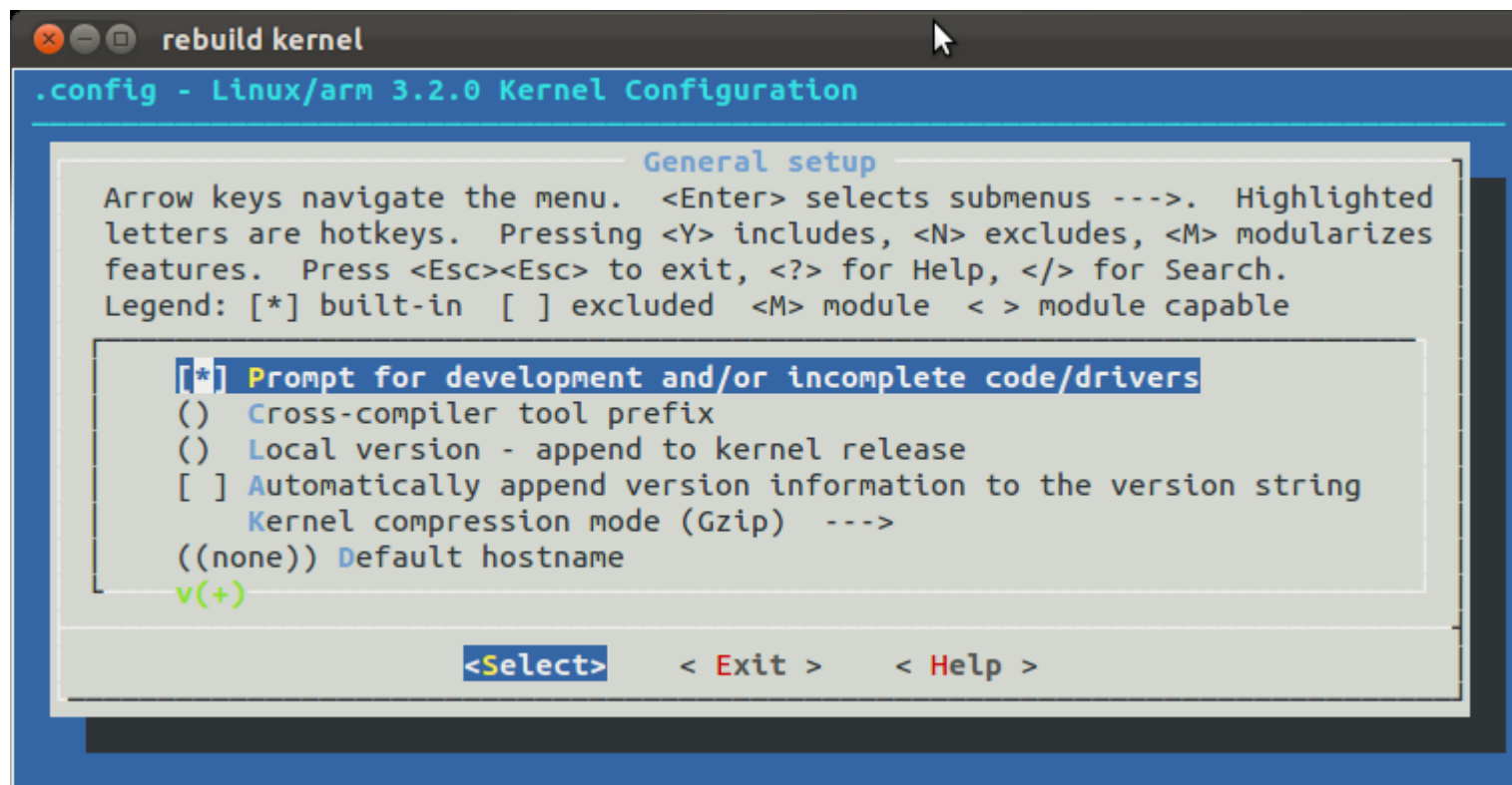
Below this, the search results for "IWLWIFI\_DEBUG\_EXPERIMENTAL\_UCODE" are shown:

```
Symbol: IWLWIFI_DEBUG_EXPERIMENTAL_UCODE [=n]
Type : boolean
Prompt: Experimental uCode support
Defined at drivers/net/wireless/iwlwifi/Kconfig:80
```

A green arrow points to the "EXPERIMENTAL" symbol. At the bottom of the search results box, there is a blue button labeled "< Exit >". The progress of the search is indicated as "( 48%)" in the bottom right corner of the search box.



# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



```
rebuild kernel
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

General setup
Arrow keys navigate the menu.  <Enter> selects submenus --->.  Highlighted
letters are hotkeys.  Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes, <M> modularizes
features.  Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </> for Search.
Legend: [*] built-in  [ ] excluded  <M> module  <> module capable

[*] Prompt for development and/or incomplete code/drivers
() Cross-compiler tool prefix
() Local version - append to kernel release
[ ] Automatically append version information to the version string
    Kernel compression mode (Gzip) --->
((none)) Default hostname
v(+)
```

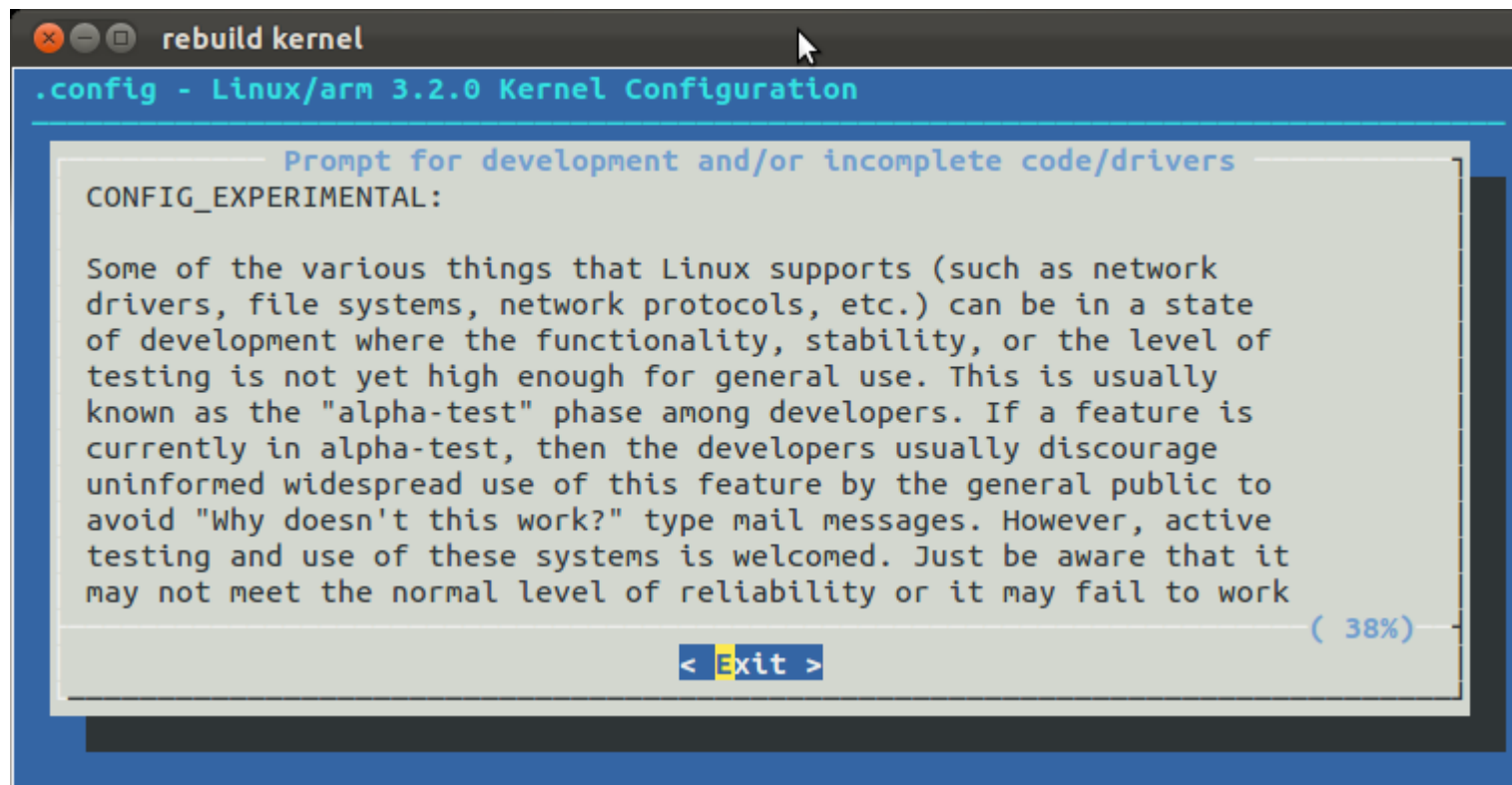
<Select>   < Exit >   < Help >

Now press H





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



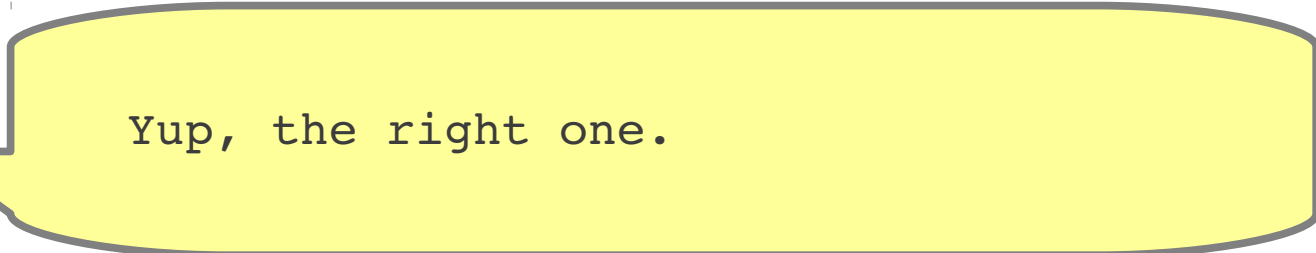
```
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

Prompt for development and/or incomplete code/drivers
CONFIG_EXPERIMENTAL:

Some of the various things that Linux supports (such as network
drivers, file systems, network protocols, etc.) can be in a state
of development where the functionality, stability, or the level of
testing is not yet high enough for general use. This is usually
known as the "alpha-test" phase among developers. If a feature is
currently in alpha-test, then the developers usually discourage
uninformed widespread use of this feature by the general public to
avoid "Why doesn't this work?" type mail messages. However, active
testing and use of these systems is welcomed. Just be aware that it
may not meet the normal level of reliability or it may fail to work

( 38%)

< Exit >
```



Yup, the right one.







# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

- [x] 1. Set CONFIG\_EXPERIMENTAL to y
- [ ] 2. Set CONFIG\_DEBUG\_INFO to y
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# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

```
rebuild kernel
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

Kernel hacking
Arrow keys navigate the menu. <Enter> selects submenus --->.
Highlighted letters are hotkeys. Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes,
<M> modularizes features. Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </>
for Search. Legend: [*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module < >

^(-)
[ ] Verbose BUG() reporting (adds 70K)
[*] Compile the kernel with debug info
[ ] Reduce debugging information
[ ] Debug VM
[ ] Debug filesystem writers count
[*] Debug memory initialisation
v(+)

<Select> < Exit > < Help >
```



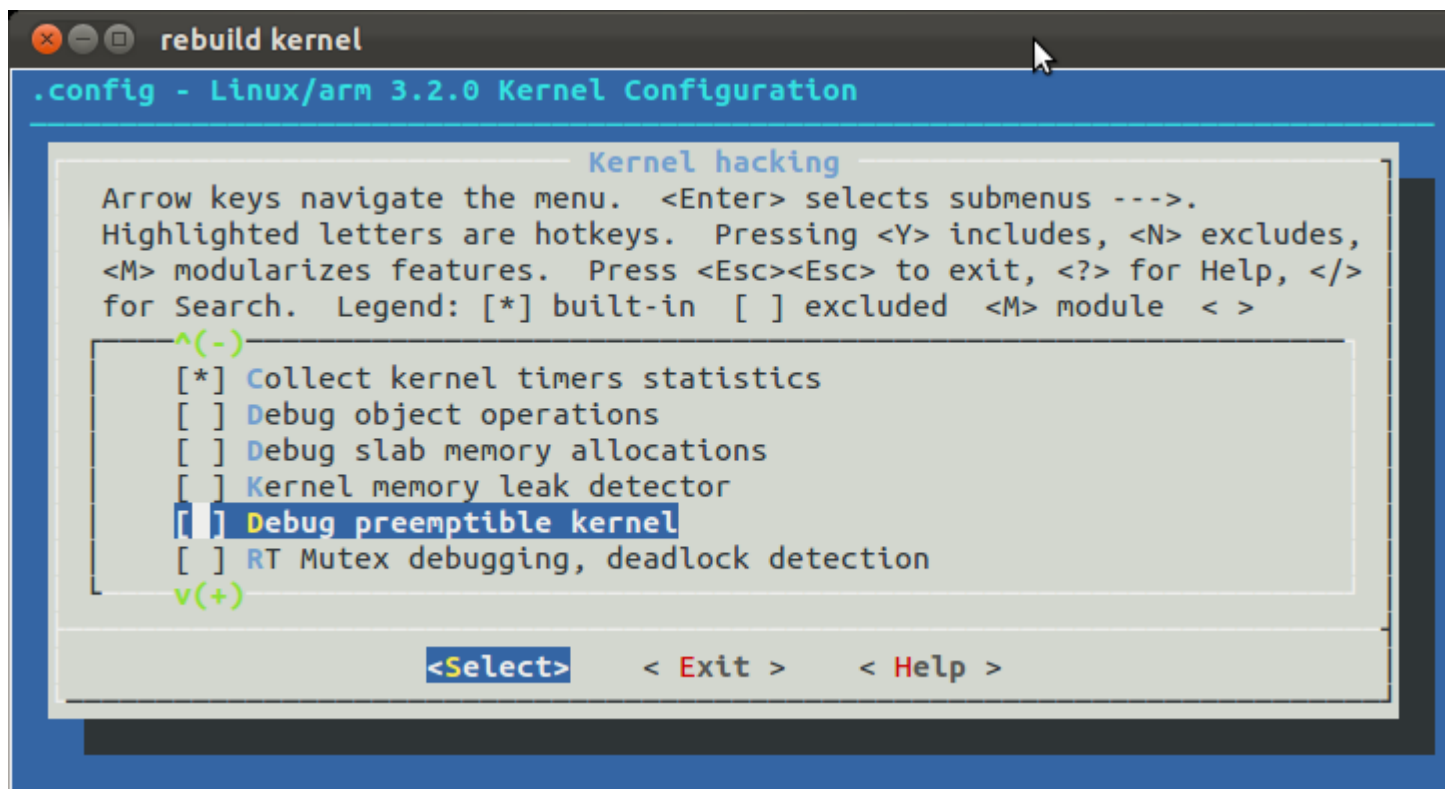


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# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



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Kernel hacking
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for Search.  Legend: [*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module < >

^(-)
[*] Collect kernel timers statistics
[ ] Debug object operations
[ ] Debug slab memory allocations
[ ] Kernel memory leak detector
[ ] Debug preemptible kernel
[ ] RT Mutex debugging, deadlock detection
v(+)

<Select>  < Exit >  < Help >
```

Hmmm, I've scrolled up and down. Where is it? Lets see, / FRAME\_POINTER





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

Symbol: `FRAME_POINTER [=n]`

Type : `boolean`

Prompt: Compile the kernel with frame pointers

Defined at `lib/Kconfig.debug:847`

Depends on: `DEBUG_KERNEL [=y]`

`&& (CRIS || M68K || FRV || UML || AVR32 ||  
SUPERH || BLACKFIN || MN10300) ||`

`ARCH_WANT_FRAME_POINTERS [=n]`

Location:


-> Kernel hacking

Selected by: `LOCKDEP [=n] && DEBUG_KERNEL [=y] &&`

`TRACE_IRQFLAGS_SUPPORT [=y] &&`

`STACKTRACE_SUPPORT [=y] && LOCKDEP_SUPPORT [=y] && !MIPS`

Symbol: `ARCH_WANT_FRAME_POINTERS [=n]`



Hmmm...can't select it because my  
architecture isn't supported. Bummer

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# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

```
[x] 1. Set CONFIG_EXPERIMENTAL to y
[x] 2. Set CONFIG_DEBUG_INFO to y
[ ] 3. Set CONFIG_FRAME_POINTER to y
[ ] 4. Set CONFIG_DEBUG_RODATA to y
[ ] 5. Set CONFIG_KGDB to y
```





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

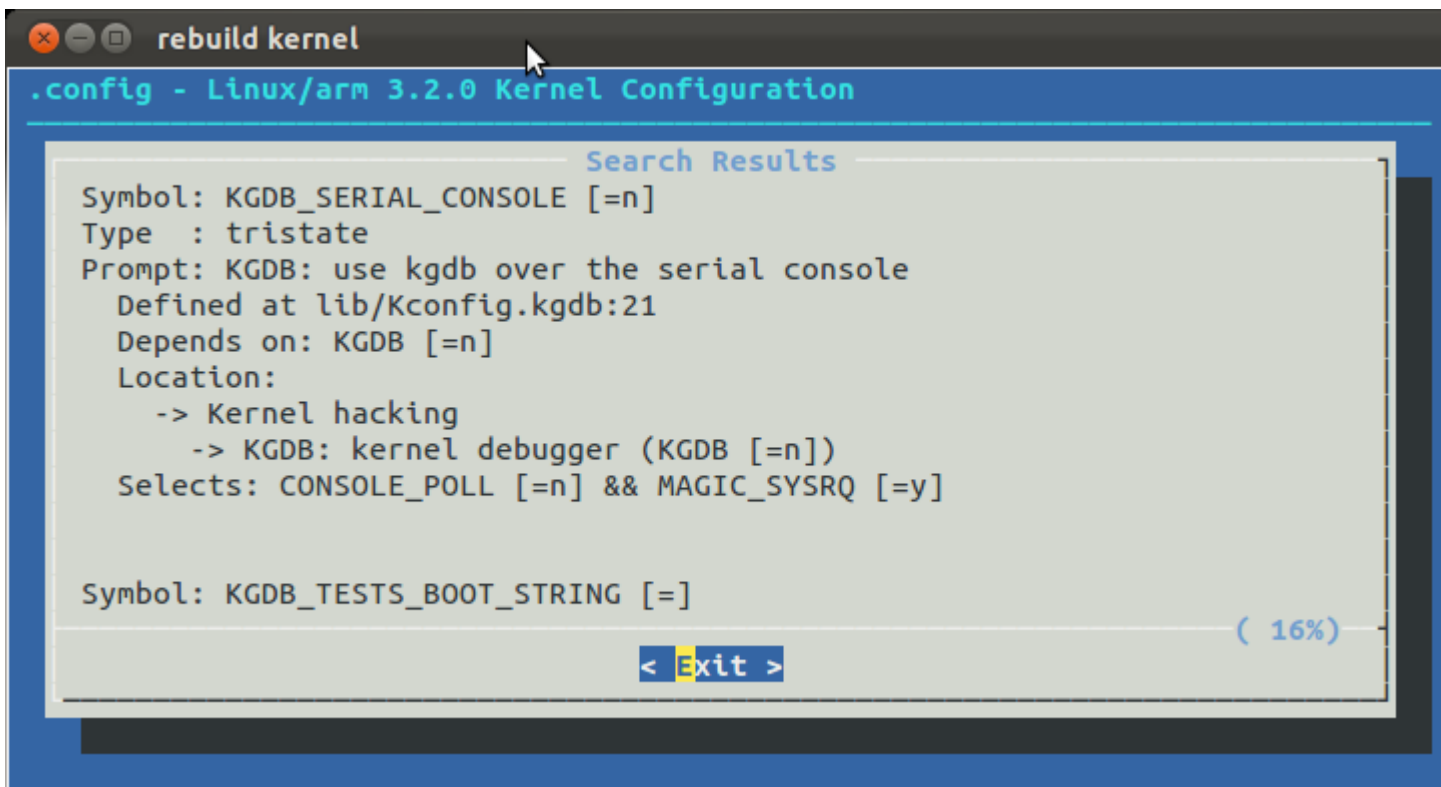
```
[x] 1. Set CONFIG_EXPERIMENTAL to y
[x] 2. Set CONFIG_DEBUG_INFO to y
[ ] 3. Set CONFIG_FRAME_POINTER to y
[ ] 4. Set CONFIG_DEBUG_RODATA to y
[ ] 5. Set CONFIG_KGDB to y
```



Hmmm... not even in search.



# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



```
rebuild kernel
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

Search Results

Symbol: KGDB_SERIAL_CONSOLE [=n]
Type : tristate
Prompt: KGDB: use kgdb over the serial console
Defined at lib/Kconfig.kgdb:21
Depends on: KGDB [=n]
Location:
  -> Kernel hacking
    -> KGDB: kernel debugger (KGDB [=n])
Selects: CONSOLE_POLL [=n] && MAGIC_SYSRQ [=y]

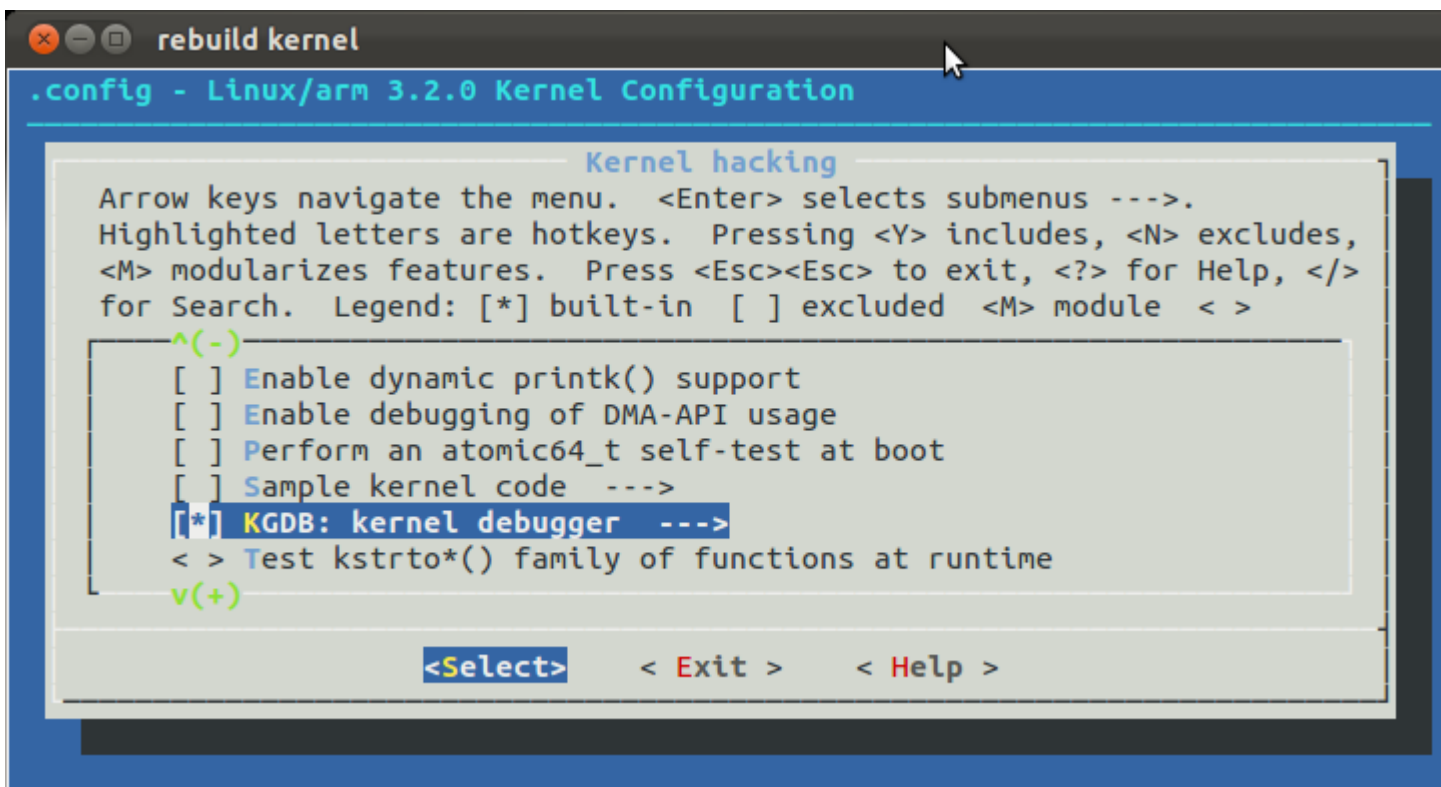
Symbol: KGDB_TESTS_BOOT_STRING [=]

( 16%)
< Exit >
```





# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



```
rebuild kernel
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

Kernel hacking
Arrow keys navigate the menu.  <Enter> selects submenus --->.
Highlighted letters are hotkeys.  Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes,
<M> modularizes features.  Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </>
for Search.  Legend: [*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module < >

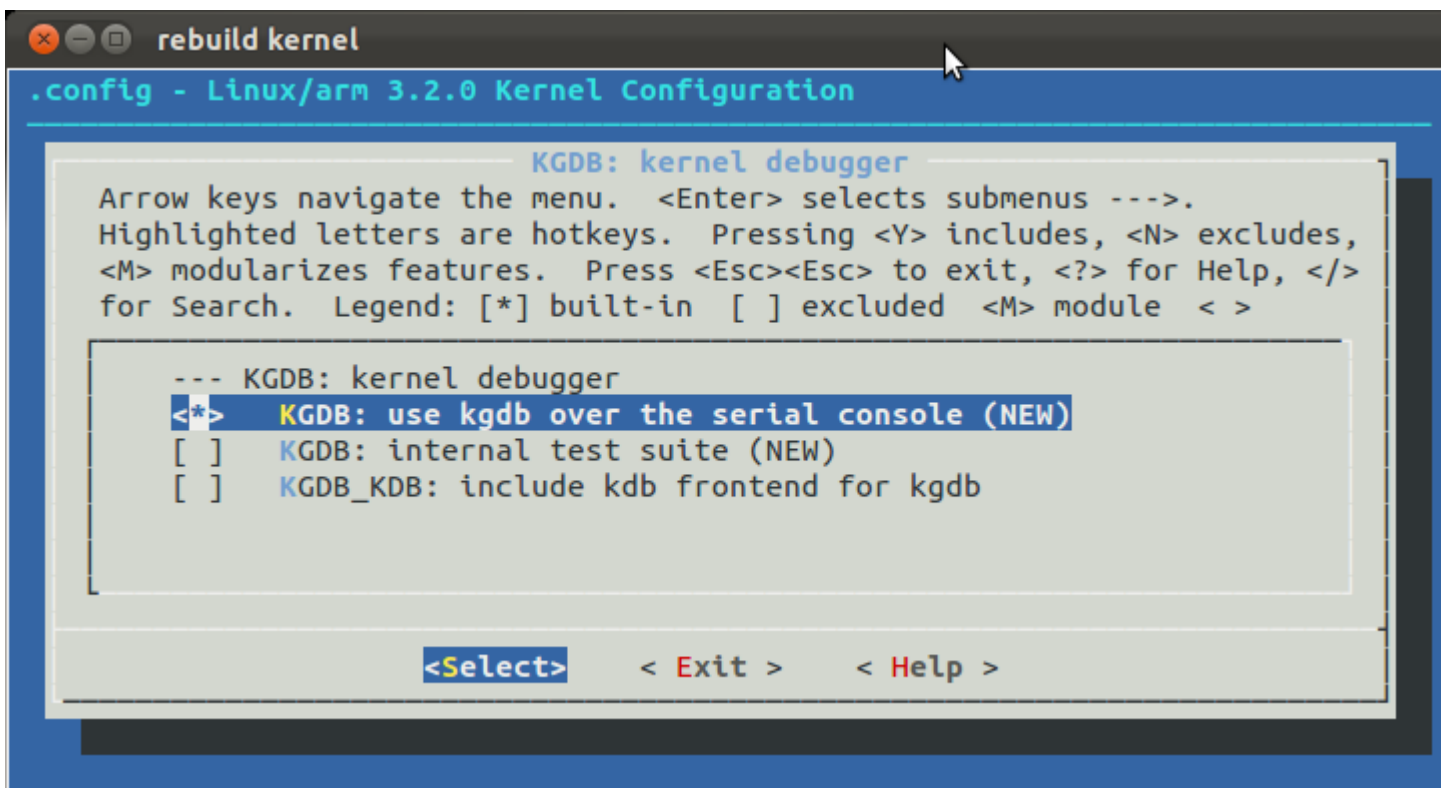
^(-)
[ ] Enable dynamic printk() support
[ ] Enable debugging of DMA-API usage
[ ] Perform an atomic64_t self-test at boot
[ ] Sample kernel code --->
[*] KGDB: kernel debugger --->
< > Test kstrto*() family of functions at runtime
v(+)

<Select>  < Exit >  < Help >
```

Hmmm... more config options...



# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



```
rebuild kernel
.config - Linux/arm 3.2.0 Kernel Configuration

KGDB: kernel debugger
Arrow keys navigate the menu. <Enter> selects submenus --->.
Highlighted letters are hotkeys. Pressing <Y> includes, <N> excludes,
<M> modularizes features. Press <Esc><Esc> to exit, <?> for Help, </>
for Search. Legend: [*] built-in [ ] excluded <M> module < >

--- KGDB: kernel debugger
[*] KGDB: use kgdb over the serial console (NEW)
[ ] KGDB: internal test suite (NEW)
[ ] KGDB_KDB: include kdb frontend for kgdb

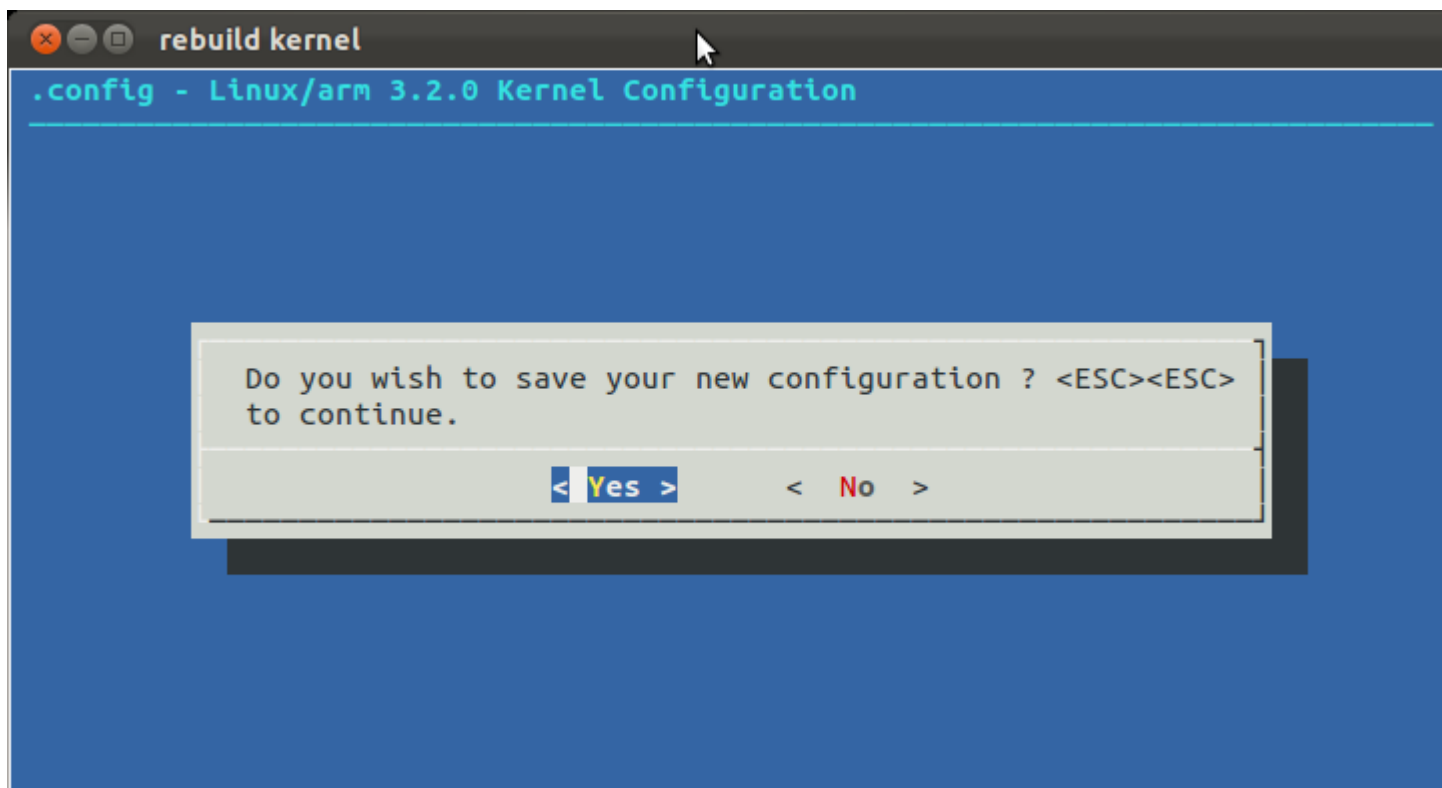
<Select> < Exit > < Help >
```

Hmmm... don't need these.







# Set CONFIG options for KGDB



Save the config... Exit, Exit, Exit, Y

# Set CONFIG options for KGDB

```
kernel
$diff -u ../out/origconfig ../out/.config
--- ../out/origconfig      2012-04-17 15:09:26.207614516 -0500
+++ ../out/.config         2012-04-17 15:06:40.083611480 -0500
@@ -1390,6 +1390,7 @@
 # CONFIG_SERIAL_MAX3107 is not set
 CONFIG_SERIAL_CORE=y
 CONFIG_SERIAL_CORE_CONSOLE=y
+CONFIG_CONSOLE_POLL=y
 # CONFIG_SERIAL_OF_PLATFORM is not set
 CONFIG_SERIAL_OMAP=y
 CONFIG_SERIAL_OMAP_CONSOLE=y
@@ -2782,7 +2783,10 @@
 # CONFIG_ATOMIC64_SELFTEST is not set
 # CONFIG_SAMPLES is not set
 CONFIG_HAVE_ARCH_KGDB=y
-# CONFIG_KGDB is not set
+CONFIG_KGDB=y
+CONFIG_KGDB_SERIAL_CONSOLE=y
+# CONFIG_KGDB_TESTS is not set
+# CONFIG_KGDB_KDB is not set
 # CONFIG_TEST_KSTRTOX is not set
 # CONFIG_STRICT_DEVMEM is not set
 CONFIG_ARM_UNWIND=y
$
```



Check the config

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# Use Kernel with New Config

```
cd kernel

export CROSS_COMPILE=/workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/android-toolchain-eabi/bin/arm-linux-androideabi-

make O=../out ARCH=arm CROSS_COMPILE=${CROSS_COMPILE} uImage modules

cd android

mkdir mnt


sudo mount /dev/sdc1 mnt

ls mnt

sudo cp ../rebuild_kernel/out/arch/arm/boot/uImage mnt

sudo umount mnt

sync
```



Rebuild and copy uImage to the SD card. Make sure to boot the image before the next steps



# Update Boot Args

boot-scr-extract.sh

```
#!/bin/sh

mkdir mnt
sudo mount $1 mnt
dd if=mnt/boot.scr of=boot.txt bs=1 skip=72
sync
sudo umount mnt
rmdir mnt
```





# Update Boot Args

boot-scr-write.sh

```
#!/bin/sh

mkdir mnt
sudo mount $1 mnt
sudo mkimage -C none -T \
              script -a 0 -e 0 -n \
              script -d boot.txt mnt/boot.scr

sync
sudo umount mnt
rmdir mnt
```





# Update Boot Args

```
./boot-scr-extract.sh /dev/sdc1
```

```
emacs boot.txt
```

boot.txt

```
console=ttyO2,115200n8 rootwait ro earlyprintk fixrtc  
nocompcache vram=48M omapfb.vram=0:24M,1:24M mem=456M@0x80000000  
mem=512M@0xA0000000 init=/init androidboot.console=ttyO2
```

update to

boot.txt

```
kgdboc=ttyO2,115200n8 rootwait ro earlyprintk fixrtc nocompcache  
vram=48M omapfb.vram=0:24M,1:24M mem=456M@0x80000000  
mem=512M@0xA0000000 init=/init
```

save

```
./boot-scr-write.sh /dev/sdc1
```







# Prepare to Boot


1. Connect to serial
2. Connect ADB over USB (or Ethernet)
3. Open terminal for GDB
4. Open terminal for ADB





# Boot and Connect

5. Boot the unit



You won't see any console output because you changed the bootargs you passed to the kernel.




# Boot and Connect

## 6. Start GDB

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```
$gdb-multiarch ../rebuild_kernel/out/vmlinux
GNU gdb (Ubuntu/Linaro 7.3-0ubuntu2) 7.3-2011.08
Copyright (C) 2011 Free Software Foundation, Inc.
License GPLv3+: GNU GPL version 3 or later
<http://gnu.org/licenses/gpl.html>
This is free software: you are free to change and redistribute it.
There is NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by law. Type "show copying"
and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "x86_64-linux-gnu".
For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<http://bugs.launchpad.net/gdb-linaro/>...
Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/out/vmlinux...done.
(gdb) set remotebaud 115200
(gdb) target remote /dev/ttyUSB0
Remote debugging using /dev/ttyUSB0
```

## 7. Connect to the unit.

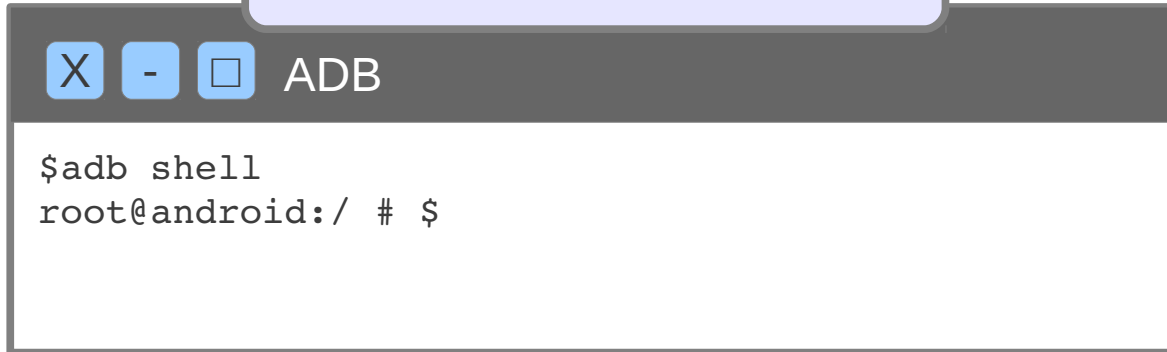


GDB will just sit there until to write to /proc/sysrq-trigger via ADB on the unit (see next step)



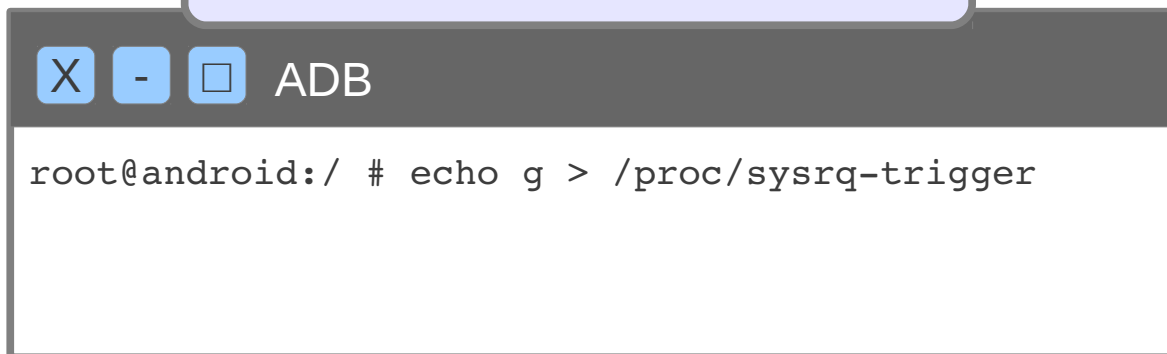
# Boot and Connect

8. Open an ADB shell



```
X - □ ADB  
$adb shell  
root@android:/ # $
```

9. Break into the kernel



```
X - □ ADB  
root@android:/ # echo g > /proc/sysrq-trigger
```





# Boot and Connect

X - □ GDB

```
Reading symbols from /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-  
blob/rebuild_kernel/out/vmlinux...done.
```

```
(gdb) set remotebaud 115200
```

```
(gdb) target remote /dev/ttyUSB0
```

```
Remote debugging using /dev/ttyUSB0
```

10. You're in!

```
kgdb_breakpoint ()
```

```
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-  
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/debug/debug_core.c:959
```

```
959     arch_kgdb_breakpoint();
```

```
(gdb)
```

```
(gdb)
```





# where


X - □ GDB

```
#4  0xc00eb19c in vfs_write (file=0xe8f7e6c0, buf=0x5a9754 "g\nZ",
count=2,
    pos=0xef5ddf80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:435
#5  0xc00eb408 in sys_write (fd=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,
count=2)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:487
#6  0xc0014a60 in ?? ()
Cannot access memory at address 0x13447a42
```





# where continued...



GDB

```
(gdb) where
#0  kgdb_breakpoint ()
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/debug/debug_core.c:959
#1  0xc034ef00 in __handle_sysrq (key=103, check_mask=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/drivers/tty/sysrq.c:522
#2  0xc034f028 in write_sysrq_trigger (file=<optimized out>,
    buf=<optimized out>, count=2, ppos=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/drivers/tty/sysrq.c:870
#3  0xc013c718 in proc_reg_write (file=<optimized out>, buf=0x5a9754
    "g\nZ",
    count=2, ppos=0xef5ddf80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/proc/inode.c:200
```





|

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```
(gdb) 1
954  */
955 void kgdb_breakpoint(void)
956 {
957     atomic_inc(&kgdb_setting_breakpoint);
958     wmb(); /* Sync point before breakpoint
959 */
959     arch_kgdb_breakpoint();
960     wmb(); /* Sync point after breakpoint
961 */
961     atomic_dec(&kgdb_setting_breakpoint);
962 }
963 EXPORT_SYMBOL_GPL(kgdb_breakpoint);
```







# b wake\_lock and c



```
(gdb) b wake_lock
Breakpoint 1 at 0xc0087f14: file /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c, line 492.
(gdb) c
Continuing.
```

11. Move the mouse a little





# Break!

X - □ GDB

```
Breakpoint 1, wake_lock (lock=0xefad2350)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
492     wake_lock_internal(lock, 0, 0);
(gdb) l
487     spin_unlock_irqrestore(&list_lock, irqflags);
488 }
489
490 void wake_lock(struct wake_lock *lock)
491 {
492     wake_lock_internal(lock, 0, 0);
493 }
494 EXPORT_SYMBOL(wake_lock);
495
496 void wake_lock_timeout(struct wake_lock *lock, long
timeout)
```





# bt

X - □ GDB

```
#4  sysfs_write_file (file=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,  
    count=<optimized out>, ppos=0xef679f80)  
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-  
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:236  
#5  0xc00eb19c in vfs_write (file=0xef43b440, buf=0x5b92c5a4 "KeyEvents",  
    count=9, pos=0xef679f80)  
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-  
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:435  
---Type <return> to continue, or q <return> to quit---  
#6  0xc00eb408 in sys_write (fd=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,  
    count=9)  
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-  
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:487  
#7  0xc0014a60 in ?? ()  
Cannot access memory at address 0x2c8
```





# bt continued


X - □ GDB

```
#0  wake_lock (lock=0xefba6970)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
#1  0xc0088710 in wake_lock_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>,
    buf=<optimized out>, n=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/userwakelock.c:170
#2  0xc02de778 in kobj_attr_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>,
    buf=<optimized out>, count=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/lib/kobject.c:699
#3  0xc01488a4 in flush_write_buffer (count=<optimized out>,
    buffer=0xef5fa9e0, dentry=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:202
```





# command



GDB

```
(gdb) command 1
Type commands for breakpoint(s) 1, one per line.
End with a line saying just "end".
>bt
>c
>end
(gdb) c
Continuing.
```



The 1 in 'command 1' specifies which breakpoint



# Break after moving mouse

X - □ GDB

```
at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:202
#4  sysfs_write_file (file=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,
count=<optimized out>, ppos=0xef693f80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:236
#5  0xc00eb19c in vfs_write (file=0xefc09e00, buf=0x5b9185a4
"KeyEvent", count=9, pos=0xef693f80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:435
#6  0xc00eb408 in sys_write (fd=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,
count=9)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:487
#7  0xc0014a60 in ?? ()
Cannot access memory at address 0x3a8
```





# Break after moving mouse cont...

X - □ GDB

```
Breakpoint 1, wake_lock (lock=0xefb91bf0)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
492     wake_lock_internal(lock, 0, 0);
#0  wake_lock (lock=0xefb91bf0) at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-
tilt-tracking-blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
#1  0xc0088710 in wake_lock_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>, buf=<optimized out>, n=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/userwakelock.c:170
#2  0xc02de778 in kobj_attr_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>, buf=<optimized out>, count=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/lib/kobject.c:699
#3  0xc01488a4 in flush_write_buffer (count=<optimized out>,
buffer=0xef647de0, dentry=<optimized out>)
```





# Break after PowerManagerService

X - □ GDB

```
at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:202
#4  sysfs_write_file (file=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,
count=<optimized out>, ppos=0xef677f80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/sysfs/file.c:236
#5  0xc00eb19c in vfs_write (file=0xefc09e00, buf=0xcda50
"PowerManagerService", count=19, pos=0xef677f80)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:435
#6  0xc00eb408 in sys_write (fd=<optimized out>, buf=<optimized out>,
count=19)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/fs/read_write.c:487
#7  0xc0014a60 in ?? ()
#8  0xc0014a60 in ?? ()
Backtrace stopped: previous frame identical to this frame (corrupt stack?)
```







# Break after PowerManagerService cont...

X - □ GDB

```
Breakpoint 1, wake_lock (lock=0xefb91af0)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
492     wake_lock_internal(lock, 0, 0);
#0  wake_lock (lock=0xefb91af0) at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-
tilt-tracking-blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/wakelock.c:492
#1  0xc0088710 in wake_lock_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>, buf=<optimized out>, n=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/kernel/power/userwakelock.c:170
#2  0xc02de778 in kobj_attr_store (kobj=<optimized out>, attr=<optimized
out>, buf=<optimized out>, count=<optimized out>)
    at /workspace/androids/panda-ics-gcc46-tilt-tracking-
blob/rebuild_kernel/kernel/lib/kobject.c:699
#3  0xc01488a4 in flush_write_buffer (count=<optimized out>,
buffer=0xef647de0, dentry=<optimized out>)
```



Is the PowerManagerService the thing that puts me  
to sleep?





# Debugging the Kernel and User Space at the Same Time

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Change the Kernel's Config

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G1 Bring Up





# Dual Debug

## General Sequence: Part 1

1. Start up kernel debug
2. Break kernel
3. Set kernel breakpoint
4. Continue in kernel GDB

## General Sequence: Part 2

5. Start up user debug
6. Set user space breakpoint
7. Continue in user space
8. Trigger condition and watch!





# General Sequence: Part 1

1. Start up kernel debug
2. Break kernel
3. Set kernel breakpoint
4. Continue in kernel GDB

```
gdb-multiarch ../rebuild_kernel/out/vmlinux
```

```
(gdb) set remotebaud 115200
```

```
(gdb) target remote /dev/ttyUSB0
```

```
adb shell echo g > /proc/sysrq-trigger
```

```
(gdb) b some_symbol
```

```
(gdb) c
```




This is the order of commands. Ones without (gdb) should be typed into shells.



# General Sequence: Part 2

5. Start up user debug
6. Set user space breakpoint
7. Continue in user space
8. Trigger condition and watch!

```
adb forward tcp:5039 tcp:5039  
adb shell gdbserver :5039 --attach 1451  
gdb-multiarch --tui /path/to/binary  
(gdb) symbol-file path/to/binary/symbols  
(gdb) set solib-search-path top/path/of/lib  
(gdb) target remote :5039
```



This is the order of commands. Ones without (gdb) should be typed into shells.

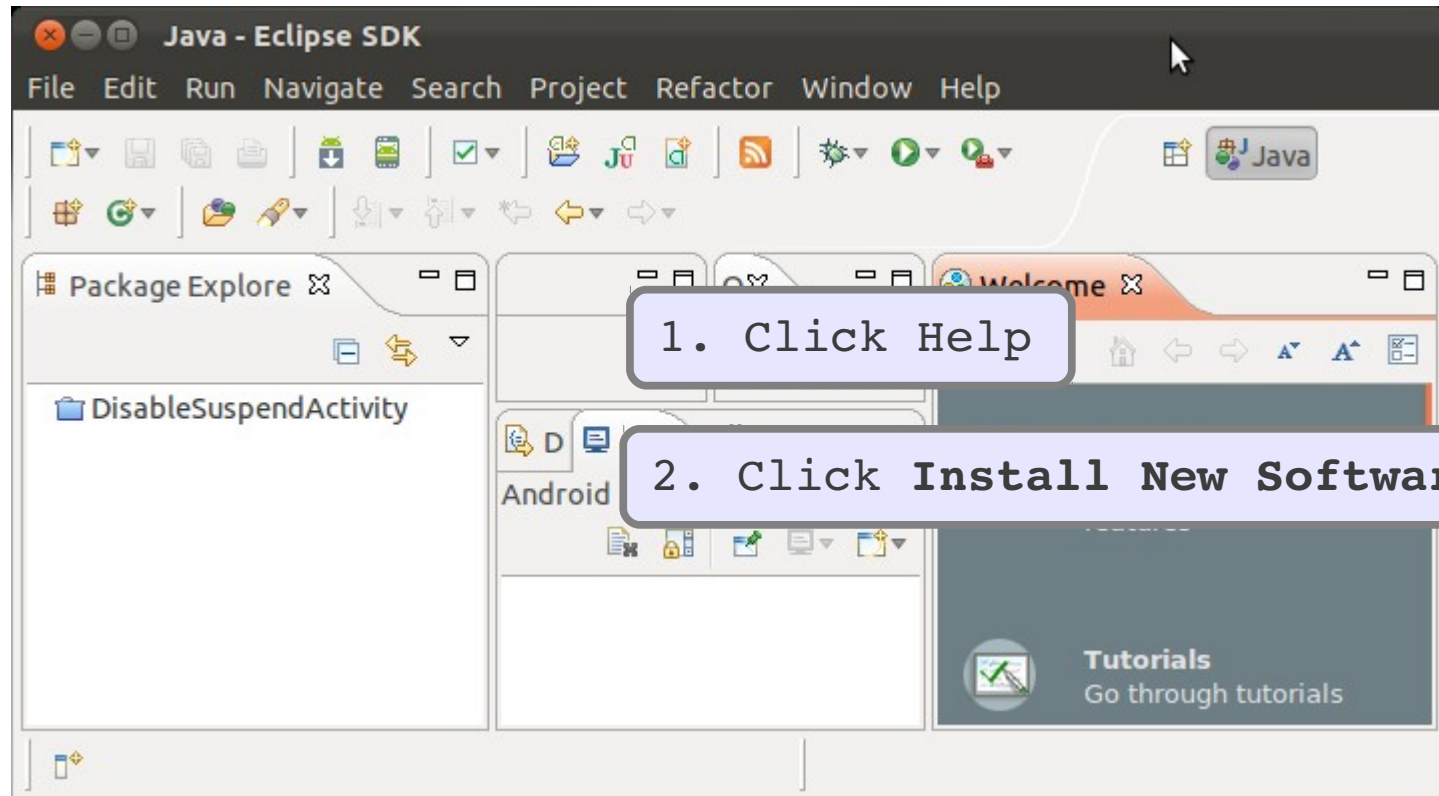


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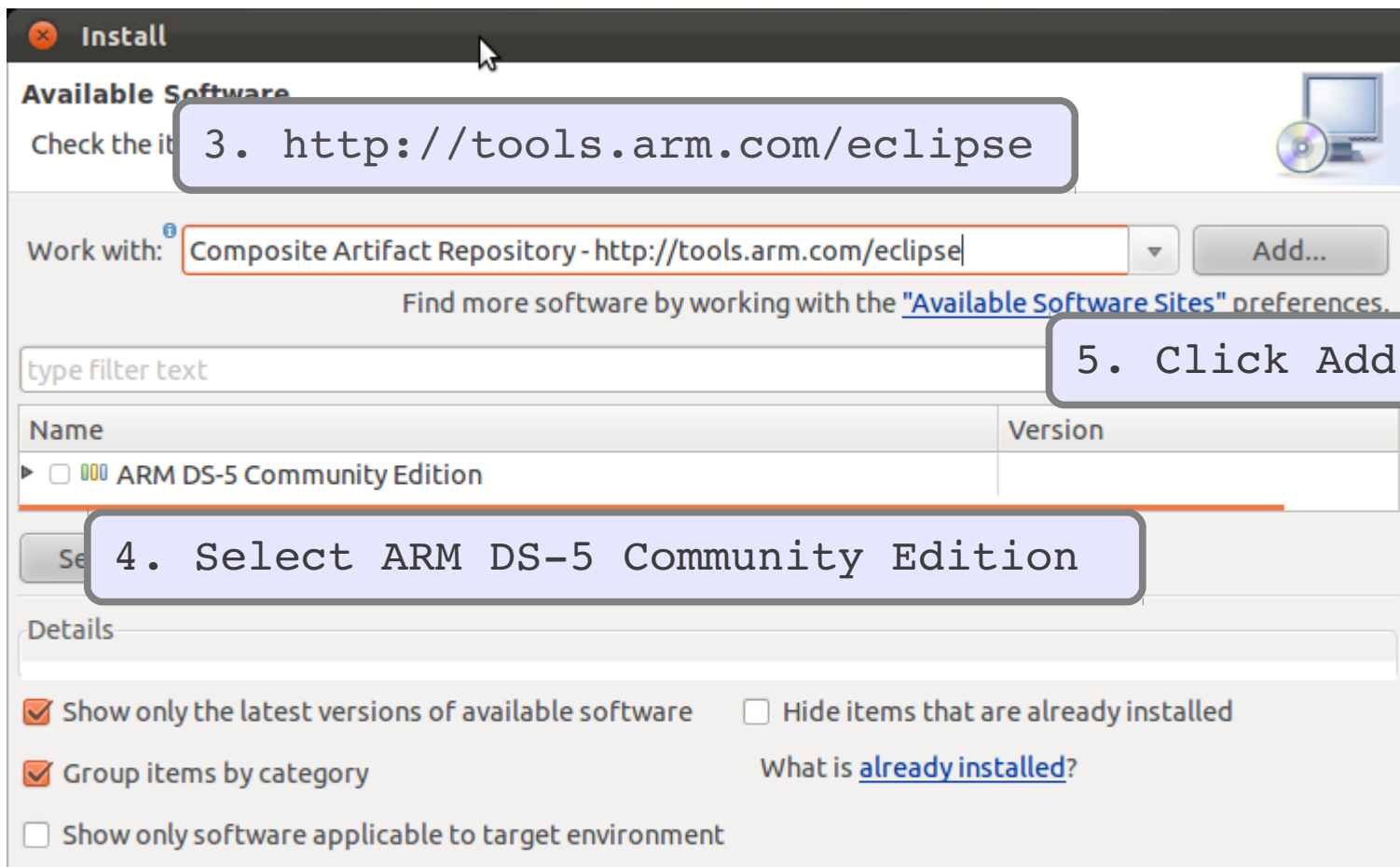
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# Install



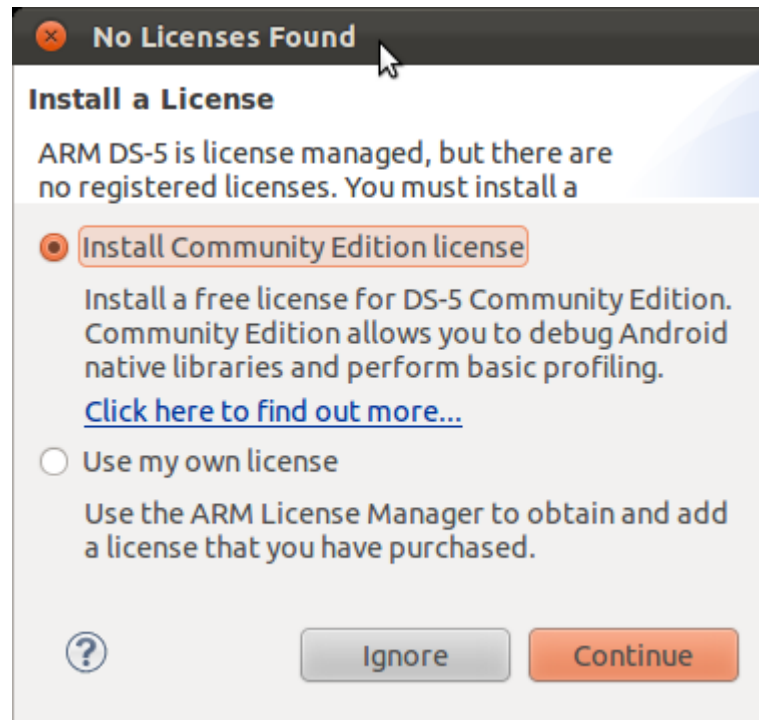
# Install







# Install



6. Accept License



# Debugging Linaro with DS-5

The DS-5 defaults need to be modified to work with Linaro builds.





# Linaro Mods

1. Reinstall App mod

2. Built-in gdbserver mod part 1

3. Built-in gdbserver mod part 2

4. Built-in gdbserver mod part 3





# Linaro Mods

## 1. Reinstall App mod

Preinstalled apps must be re-installed to be debugged

```
<eclipse>/plugins/<version>/Boards/Android/Generic  
/adb_common.py
```

Line 395:

```
cmd = adb + ' install -r ' + '"' +  
os.path.join(apk_path, apk_name) + '"'
```





# Linaro Mods

## 2. Built-in gdbserver mod part 1

Use the preinstalled gdbserver

```
<eclipse>/plugins/<version>/Boards/Android/Generic  
/adb_common.py
```

Line 635: (and 626)

```
cmd = adb + ' shell ' + path +  
' /system/bin/gdbserver' + ' :' + port + ' --attach  
' + pid
```





# Linaro Mods

## 3. Built-in gdbserver mod part 2

Use the preinstalled gdbserver

```
<eclipse>/plugins/<version>/Boards/Android/Generic  
/adb_common.py
```

Comment out lines 630 to 635 from adb\_common.py to allow the built-in gdbserver to be used.





# Linaro Mods

## 4. Built-in gdbserver mod part 3

Steers DS-5 to use the builtin gdbserver

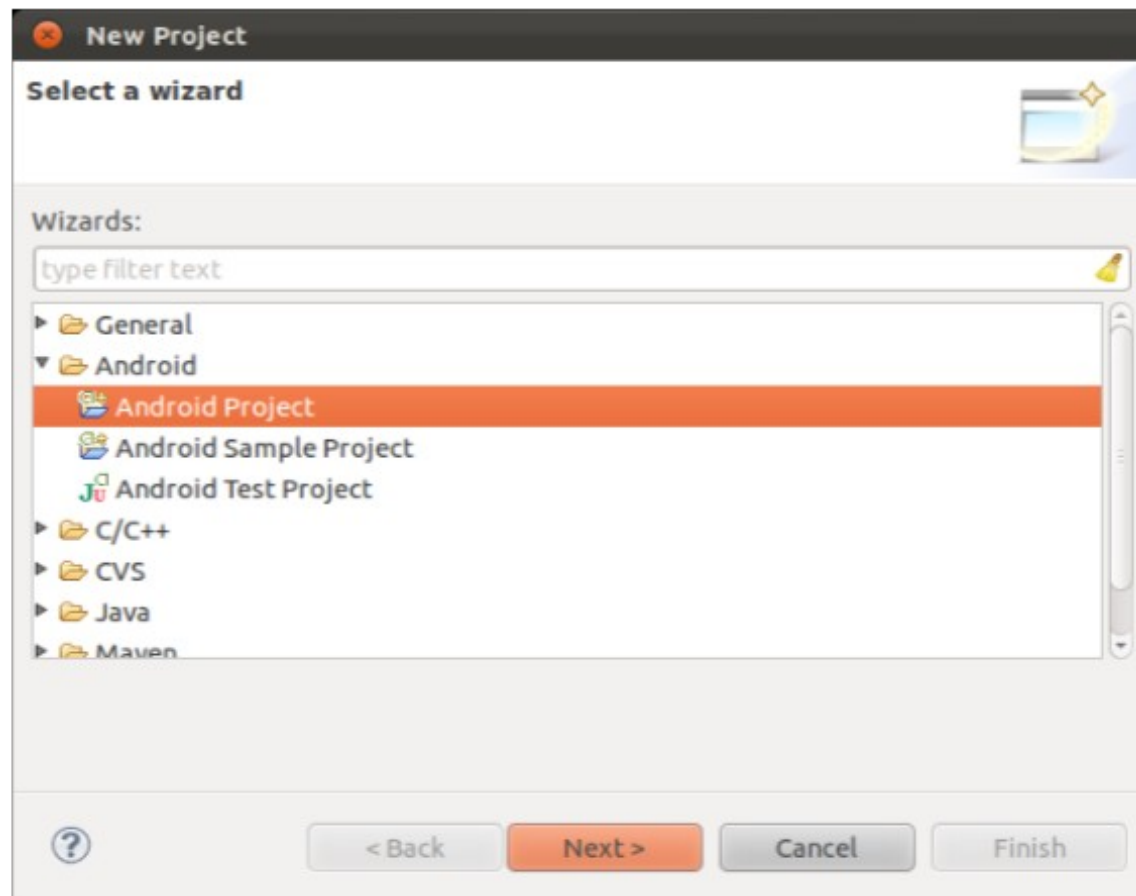
```
<eclipse>/plugins/<version>/Boards/Android/Generic  
/run.py
```

```
Force root = true on line 40
```





# Create Project

File > New Project > Android project






# From Existing Source



**New Android Project**

**Create Android Project**

 An Eclipse project already exists in this directory.  
Consider using File > Import > Existing Project instead.

Project Name:

☐ Create new project in workspace

☒ Create project from existing source

☐ Create project from existing sample


☐ Use default location

Location:

Working sets

☐ Add project to working sets

Working sets:





# Select API Level


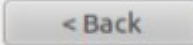
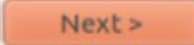
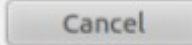
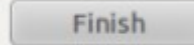
**New Android Project**

**Select Build Target**  
Choose an SDK to target

Build Target



Target Name	Vendor	Platform	API Level
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<input type="checkbox"/> Google APIs	Google Inc.	4.0.3	15

Standard Android platform 3.1



# Select Package and App Name



**New Android Project**

**Application Info**  
Configure the new Android Project

Application Name:

Package Name:

☐ Create Activity:


Minimum SDK:

☐ Create a Test Project

Test Project Name:

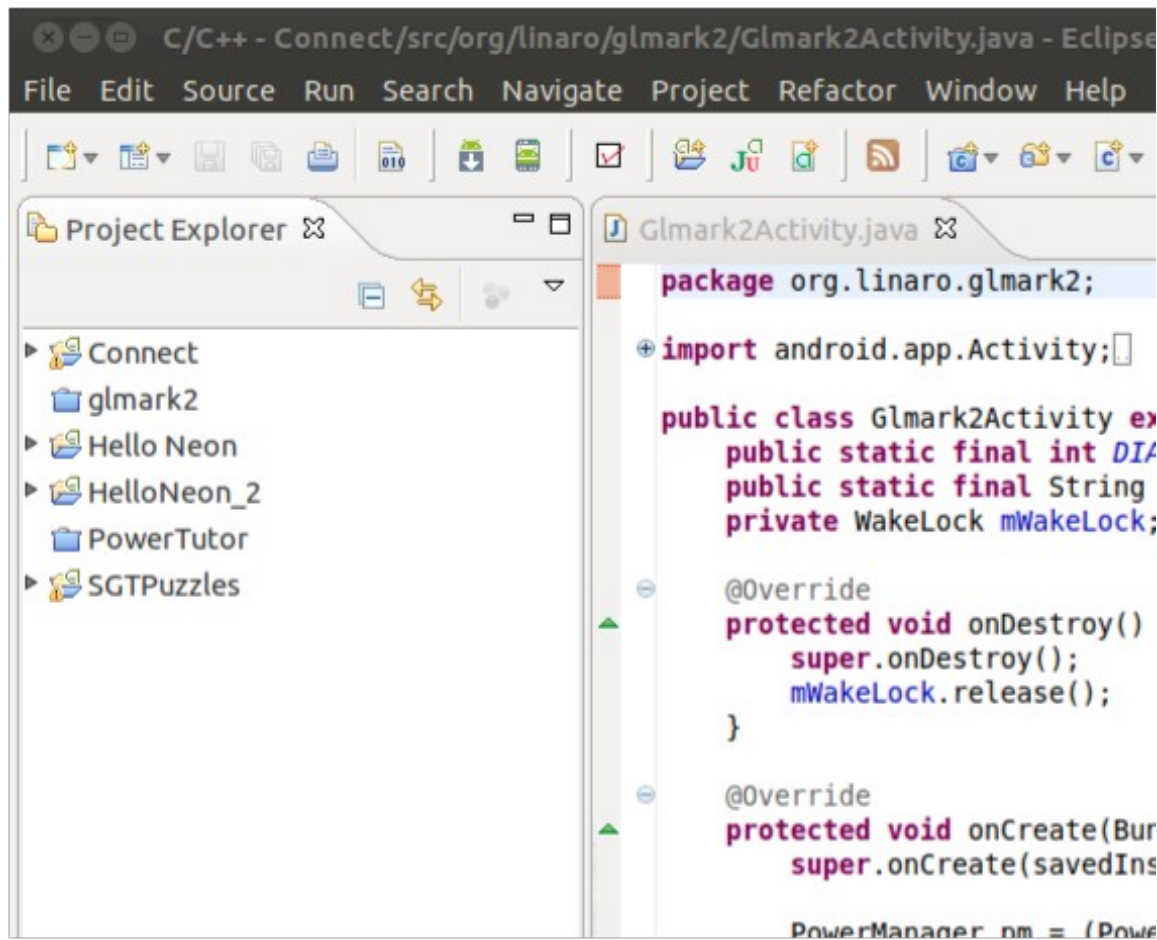
Test Application:

Test Package:





# Happy SDK Debugging





# G1 Bring Up

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# QuIC's Reference Code

```
git clone https://www.codeaurora.org/gitweb/quic/la//kernel/msm.git  
cd msm  
git checkout remotes/origin/android-msm-2.6.29-donut  
ls arch/arm/mach-msm/
```

Many, many files





# Google's Code

```
git clone https://www.codeaurora.org/gitweb/quic/la//kernel/msm.git  
cd msm  
git checkout remotes/origin/aosp/android-msm-2.6.29-donut  
ls arch/arm/mach-msm/
```

Stripped down set of files





# Brought up each Kernel/Modem Interface

1. Proc Comm - `proc_comm.c`

2. Shared Memory Driver - `smd.c`

3. RPC Router - `smd_rpcrouter.c`







# Proc Comm Bring Up

Boot up, modem hung, kernel hung

Kernel hung on `proc_comm_wait_for()`

Issue: race between kernel and modem





# SMD Bring Up

Boot up, no serial output

SMD buffer full

Issue: incorrect assumption about shared memory region layout on modem and kernel side





# RPC Bring Up

Boot up, random reboots

System is under load

Issue: kernel doesn't respond to a modem watchdog





# Thanks!

*IRC, email or our awesome Linaro  
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